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PREFACE

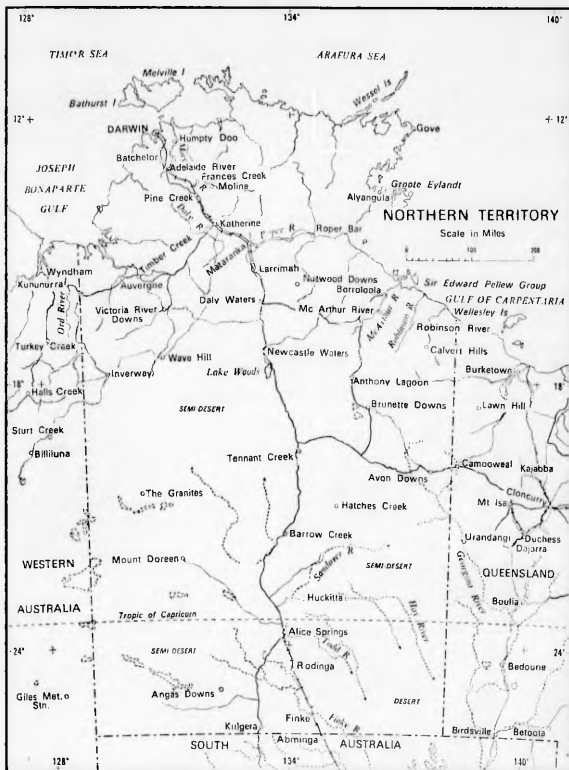
This issue of the Northern Territory Statistical Summary is the thirteenth of the series introduced by this Bureau in 1960.

In general it follows the lines of the previous issues. The contents of the previous issue have been advanced wherever possible, and tables derived from the 1970 Population Count of Population by Age and Masculinity, Period of Residence, Residence Status, and Dwellings by Class for Darwin, Alice Springs and Tennant Creek have been added. New tables showing Private Expenditure on Mineral and Petroleum Exploration together with further details of Retail, Selected Service and Wholesale Establishments for the period 1968-69, have been included. In addition, the Appendix contains some preliminary figures from the 1971 Census and explanatory and tabular matter related to the Survey of Weekly Earnings conducted in May 1971.

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The following symbols, where shown in columns of figures, mean—

- n.a. —not available.
- .. —nil or less than half the final digit shown, or not applicable.
- p —preliminary—figure or series subject to revision.
- r —figure or series revised since previous issue.
- n.e.i. —not elsewhere included.
- n.e.c. —not elsewhere classified.
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Yearly periods shown as, e.g., 1971, refer to the year ended 31 December 1971; those shown as, e.g., 1970-71, refer to the year ended 30 June 1971. Other yearly periods are specifically indicated.

Unless otherwise indicated, the British system of weights and measures is used.

Values are shown in Australian \$.

Any discrepancies between totals and sums of components in tables are due to rounding.

CHRONOLOGICAL TABLE

PART I—EARLY HISTORY (1623–1862)

- 1623 First known European contact with coast by the Dutch ship *Arnhem*.
- 1644 Abel Tasman surveyed the coast of the Gulf of Carpentaria.
- 1803 Matthew Flinders charted part of the coastline.
- 1824 Captain J. J. G. Bremer landed at Port Essington and took possession of the northern coast of Australia between 129° and 135° E. longitude. A settlement was established at Fort Dundas.
- 1825 Northern Territory incorporated in New South Wales.
- 1827 Raffles Bay settlement established.
- 1829 Fort Dundas and Raffles Bay settlements abandoned.
- 1838 Port Essington settlement established.
- 1839 Commander J. C. Wickham and Lieutenant J. L. Stokes continued the charting of the coastline. Port Darwin and the Adelaide and Victoria Rivers were discovered and surveyed.
- 1845 The explorer Ludwig Leichhardt reached Port Essington on 17 December 1845, after the first overland journey from Moreton Bay (Brisbane).
- 1849 Port Essington abandoned.
- 1855 A. C. Gregory explored the Victoria River, and from there, in the following year, crossed the continent to Port Curtis in Queensland.
- 1860 John McDouall Stuart, in an attempt to cross the continent from South to North, reached centre of continent and named Central Mount Sturt—subsequently changed to Central Mount Stuart.
- 1862 Stuart reached Chambers Bay, on the north coast, after a journey from South Australia of nearly nine months.

PART II—UNDER CONTROL OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA (1863–1910)

- 1863 South Australia secured annexation of Northern Territory by Letters Patent.
- 1864 Sales of north coast land took place simultaneously in Adelaide and London, the land to be surveyed within five years of purchase. To carry out the survey, Boyle Travers Finniss, the first Government Resident, arrived at Adam Bay at the estuary of the Adelaide River in the *Henry Ellis*. Reports of dissatisfaction reached Adelaide and Finniss was recalled.
- 1866 J. T. Manton, who had succeeded Finniss, ordered to abandon the settlement and return to Adelaide.
- 1869 Palmerston (now Darwin) selected as site for the chief town. G. W. Goyder made Government Resident.
- 1870 Commencement of transcontinental telegraph from Adelaide to Darwin to connect with the cable from Singapore. Inspector Paul Foelsche arrived at Palmerston with five mounted constables to establish a police force. Doctor J. Stokes Millner appointed Acting Government Resident. Captain Bloomfield Douglas subsequently appointed Government Resident.
- 1871 Redwater disease introduced by the importation of Brahman cattle from Batavia. The gorge later to be known as Heavitree Gap discovered in the MacDonnell Ranges. A nearby grassed plateau containing a pool of water was named Alice Springs. First overseas telegraphic communication made from Australia in message transmitted to London from Darwin by cable.
- 1872 Transcontinental telegraph line completed and linked with overseas cable. Pile gold struck in the Pine Creek area.
- 1873 Doctor J. Stokes Millner appointed Acting Government Resident. G. B. Pitt subsequently appointed Resident. First newspaper *Northern Territory Times* published.
- 1874 Recruitment of two hundred Chinese in Singapore to relieve labour shortage marked the beginning of extensive Chinese immigration.

CHRONOLOGICAL TABLE—continued

- 1876 Formation of a Japanese settlement proposed by South Australian Government but plan abandoned before agreement was reached. E. W. Price appointed Government Resident.
- 1877 First school in Northern Territory opened at Palmerston (now Darwin) with an enrolment of 34 pupils.
- 1878 Work commenced on the southern end of a proposed transcontinental railway line to follow the route of the overland telegraph.
- 1880 Large cattle properties established on the Barkly Tableland. Export trade in live cattle established with Eastern countries.
- 1882 Rich strike of copper at Daly River.
- 1883 G. R. McMinn appointed Acting Government Resident.
- 1884 Pearl-shell discovered in quantity in waters of Port Darwin. J. L. Parsons appointed Government Resident.
- 1886 Work commenced on the Palmerston-Pine Creek railway. Completed in 1889.
- 1888 Town site of Stuart (now Alice Springs) gazetted.
- 1890 South Australian Government conferred parliamentary franchise on the Northern Territory by including the Territory in the South Australian electorate of Grey. J. G. Knight appointed Government Resident.
- 1892 C. J. Dashwood appointed Government Resident. First of the Aboriginal Reserves created.
- 1897 Entire Northern Territory cattle population quarantined because of redwater disease. Palmerston severely damaged by cyclone.
- 1901 Establishment of Commonwealth of Australia. Northern Territory, as part of the electorate of Grey, had representation in the Commonwealth Parliament.
- 1905 C. E. Herbert appointed Government Resident.
- 1908 First publication of the Northern Territory classic *We of the Never-Never* by Mrs Aeneas Gunn.
- 1910 S. J. Mitchell appointed Government Resident and later acted as Administrator.

PART III—UNDER CONTROL OF THE COMMONWEALTH (FROM 1911)

- 1911 The *Northern Territory Acceptance Act* (No. 20 of 1910) provided for the formal transfer of the Northern Territory to the Commonwealth of Australia on 1 January 1911. Under the *Northern Territory Administration Act* the system of administration was changed and an Administrator with a staff of nine senior officials was appointed. All parliamentary franchises revoked. Experimental farms established at Batchelor and Daly River.
- 1912 J. A. Gilruth appointed Administrator. Founding of the Australian Inland Mission.
- 1914 Opening of a school at Alice Springs—attendance 25 pupils.
- 1915 Darwin Town Council created.
- 1917 Extension of railway from Pine Creek to Katherine.
- 1918 Serious labour unrest culminated in a mass demonstration against the Administrator.
- 1919 Arrival at Darwin of Captain (Sir) Ross Smith and Lieutenant (Sir) Keith Smith from England by air. Arrival at Darwin from Melbourne of first plane to cross the continent from south to north. H. E. Carey appointed Director. M. S. C. Smith subsequently appointed Acting Administrator.
- 1921 Col E. T. Leane appointed Acting Administrator. F. C. Urquhart subsequently appointed Administrator.
- 1923 Northern Territory granted representation in the House of Representatives (the Member to be allowed to take part in debates but to vote only on a motion for the disallowance of any ordinance of the Northern Territory).

CHRONOLOGICAL TABLE—continued

- 1926 E. C. Playford appointed Acting Administrator. *North Australia Act* divided the Territory at the 20th parallel of latitude into two sections to be administered in the north by a Government Resident at Darwin and in the south by a Government Resident at Alice Springs.
- 1927 Lieutenant-Colonel R. H. Weddell, Government Resident, North Australia; C. A. Cawood, Government Resident, Central Australia.
- 1928 Inauguration of the Flying Doctor Service by Australian Inland Mission of the Presbyterian Church of Australia. First base established at Cloncurry, Queensland.
- 1929 The railway from Darwin to Katherine extended to Birdum and the Oodnadatta–Alice Springs railway completed. V. G. Carrington appointed as Government Resident, Central Australia.
- 1930 Resignation of Town Council as a body in protest against the Commonwealth proposal to introduce adult suffrage for Municipal elections. Proposal not implemented. Amy Johnson landed at Darwin completing the first flight from England to Australia by a woman pilot.
- 1931 *North Australia Act* repealed and whole Territory re-united under a single Administrator. Lieutenant-Colonel R. H. Weddell appointed Administrator.
- 1932 Town Council provided first continuous electricity supply in Darwin.
- 1934 Darwin airport used for first regular air service between England and Australia. Northern Territory Aerial Medical Service established.
- 1937 Payne-Fletcher Report on Territory development submitted. Electricity first distributed in Alice Springs. Darwin Town Council abolished at its own request, and its work and functions taken over by the Northern Territory Administration. C. L. A. Abbott appointed Administrator.
- 1939 Darwin Town Management Board formed.
- 1940 Commencement of Stuart and Barkly Highways—completed in 1943. Water first reticulated in Darwin.
- 1941 Evacuation of women and children from Darwin following Japanese attack on Pearl Harbour.
- 1942 Darwin bombed several times by Japanese (first attack 19 February). Military Administration of Darwin. Water first reticulated in Alice Springs.
- 1945 Resumption of Civil Administration of Darwin.
- 1946 Commonwealth acquired an area embracing Darwin and environs under the Darwin Lands Acquisition Act in order to facilitate re-planning. I. H. A. Giles appointed Acting Administrator. A. R. Driver subsequently appointed Administrator.
- 1947 First election of the Northern Territory Legislative Council with power to make ordinances for the peace, order and good government of the Territory. The Council to consist of the Administrator, 7 official members and 6 elected members. A new Darwin Town Management Board established to advise the Administrator on matters relating to the control, management, government and welfare of the town.
- 1949 Uranium discovered at Rum Jungle.
- 1951 Alice Springs School of the Air opened. Settlement of Darwin Town Plan leading to issue of firm leases to business people, etc. Death of John Flynn (Flynn of the Inland). F. J. S. Wise appointed Administrator.
- 1952 Aerial survey of the entire Territory commenced by Bureau of Mineral Resources.
- 1953 Bill introduced into the Northern Territory Legislative Council to give citizenship rights to certain Aborigines. Working and management of Rum Jungle handed over by Commonwealth to private company.
- 1954 Mrs Vladimir Petrov of the Soviet Embassy granted political asylum after incident at Darwin Airport. Rum Jungle uranium treatment plant officially opened by the Prime Minister.

CHRONOLOGICAL TABLE—continued

- 1955 Commonwealth agreement to limited Japanese pearl fleet operations in Northern Australian waters. Opening of Legislative Council building. Local Government Ordinance passed by Legislative Council.
- 1956 Visit by His Royal Highness the Duke of Edinburgh. J. C. Archer appointed Administrator.
- 1957 Municipality of Darwin created. Mayor and 12 Councillors elected by people of Darwin.
- 1958 Elected members of the Legislative Council resigned in a body as a protest against government control of the Council. In the subsequent election, all members were returned.
- 1959 Member for Northern Territory in Federal Parliament given limited voting rights on matters relating solely to the Territory. Darwin proclaimed a city. Death of noted Aboriginal artist Albert Namatjira.
- 1960 Forster Committee Report on Agriculture in the Northern Territory presented.
- 1961 The Hon. R. B. Nott appointed Administrator.
- 1962 Legislative Council prepared a list of grievances, in the form of a Remonstrance, addressed to the two Houses of the Federal Parliament. The President and Speaker acknowledged receipt of the Remonstrance and made copies available to members, but no action was taken on a Petition presented by the Federal Member for the Northern Territory that the Parliament debate the grievances.
Amendments to the Northern Territory Electoral Regulations extended the franchise to all adult Aboriginal natives of Australia in the Northern Territory.
- 1963 Visit by Her Majesty the Queen and His Royal Highness The Duke of Edinburgh. Water first reticulated in Tennant Creek. Export abattoirs opened at Darwin and Katherine. Darwin High School opened.
- 1964 R. L. Dean appointed Administrator. Delegation from Legislative Council to members of Federal Cabinet seeking political advancement for Northern Territory. Social welfare legislation removing discriminatory provisions against Aborigines passed by Legislative Council and brought into operation.
- 1965 Legislation passed to provide for elected or non-official nominated member to replace Administrator as President of the Legislative Council. Open-cut mining of manganese commenced at Groote Eylandt. Main mining lease for development of bauxite deposits at Gove allocated. Mr Harry Chan became first elected President of the Legislative Council.
- 1966 Shipment of manganese ore from Groote Eylandt to Bell Bay, Tasmania, commenced. Good rains ended the eight year central Australian drought. Mt Bundey iron ore project announced and mining of iron ore commenced at Frances Creek.
- 1967 The first bulk iron ore shipments were made from Frances Creek through Darwin to Japan. Large scale sorghum production commenced at Tipperary.
- 1968 Member for Northern Territory in Federal Parliament given full voting rights. Legislation passed to alter the composition of the Legislative Council to 11 elected and 6 nominated official members.
- 1969 Darwin celebrated its centenary. Seven Northern Territory based companies were engaged in large-scale prawn fishing and processing. Contract worth \$35 million let for construction of the new town of Nhulunbuy, part of the \$368 million alumina-bauxite project on Gove Peninsula.
- 1970 The Hon. F. C. Chaney, C.B.E., A.F.C., appointed Administrator. Rich uranium deposit discovered approximately 150 miles east of Darwin. \$19 million Darwin port development proposal submitted to Parliament.
- 1971 Alice Springs celebrated its centenary and became a municipality. Uranium mining operations ceased at Rum Jungle. Television transmission commenced in Darwin and the \$8 million Radio Australia booster station, Cox Peninsula, commenced broadcasting. The first bulk shipment of bauxite was made from Gove Peninsula.

LIST OF REPRESENTATIVES AND OFFICIALS

(At 1 January 1972)

MINISTER FOR THE INTERIOR	..	..	..	..	The Hon. R. J. D. Hunt, M.P.
MEMBER FOR THE NORTHERN TERRITORY IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES	..	..	..	..	S. E. Calder, D.F.C., M.P.
ADMINISTRATOR OF THE NORTHERN TERRITORY	..				The Hon. F. C. Chaney, C.B.E., A.F.C.
THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL FOR THE NORTHERN TERRITORY—					
<i>President</i>	..	..	..	..	A. G. W. Greatorex
<i>Members—Elected</i>	..	..	..	..	T. Bell (McMillan)
					G. A. Letts (Victoria River)
					A. D. Lawrie (Nightcliff)
					W. J. Fisher (Fannie Bay)
					R. Kentish (Arnhem)
					A. G. W. Greatorex (Stuart)
					B. Kilgariff (Alice Springs)
					E. L. Marks (Barkly)
					L. McFarlane (Elsey)
					R. Ward (Ludmilla)
					R. J. Withnall (Port Darwin)
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					B. Hart (Director, Animal Industry and Agriculture)
					H. T. Plant (Director, Local Government, Community Services and Housing Branch)
					C. J. O'Sullivan. (Crown Law Officer)
<i>Clerk of the Council</i>	F. H. Walker
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					The Hon. Mr Justice E. A. Dunphy
					The Hon. Mr Justice P. E. Joske, C.M.G.
					The Hon. Mr Justice R. A. Smithers
					The Hon. Mr Justice J. A. Nimmo, C.B.E., O St J.
					The Hon. Mr Justice J. R. Kerr, C.M.G.
CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF DARWIN—					
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<i>Town Clerk</i>	W. J. Sullivan
MUNICIPALITY OF ALICE SPRINGS—					
<i>Mayor</i>	Ald. J. N. Nelson
<i>Town Clerk</i>	..	..	..	..	T. Jenkinson
COMMONWEALTH GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS AND INSTRUMENTALITIES					
AIR	..	..	..	..	Group-Captain R. H. Glassop, D.F.C. and bar
ARMY	Lieutenant-Colonel B. Passey

LIST OF REPRESENTATIVES AND OFFICIALS—continued

ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S—

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<i>Stipendiary Magistrates—Darwin</i>	D. McCann
<i>Alice Springs</i>	G. F. Hall
<i>Master Supreme Court, Registrar-General for Northern Territory, Registrar of Births, Deaths and Marriages, Registrar of Companies</i>	J. P. Morrison

AUSTRALIAN BROADCASTING COMMISSION .. D. R. Sanders

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<i>Manager, South Australia and Northern Territory</i>	R. M. Rechner, C.B.E., D.F.C. (Adelaide)
<i>Darwin</i>	R. F. Balch
<i>Alice Springs</i>	W. Carlisle

CIVIL AVIATION—

Regional Director, South Australia and Northern Territory

<i>Territory</i>	K. M. Barclay (Adelaide)
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<i>Alice Springs</i>	A. M. Miers
<i>Katherine</i>	D. J. Middlemis
<i>Tennant Creek</i>	W. C. Doddridge
<i>Gove</i>	A. F. H. Shee

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<i>Mechanical Superintendent</i>	W. Musgrave
<i>Administrative Officer</i>	M. E. Gigney

COMMONWEALTH SCIENTIFIC AND INDUSTRIAL RESEARCH ORGANIZATION—

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<i>Officer-in-charge—Humpty Doo</i>	E. C. B. Langfield, M.B.E.
<i>Officer-in-charge—Katherine</i>	L. J. Phillips
<i>Officer-in-charge—Berrimah</i>	Dr. M. G. Ridpath

CUSTOMS AND EXCISE .. A. E. Collins

EDUCATION AND SCIENCE—

<i>Director</i>	J. R. Steinle
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<i>Assistant Director (Public Health)</i>	Dr D. S. M. Graham
<i>Assistant Director (Tuberculosis)</i>	Dr E. J. Strang
<i>Assistant Director Medical Services and Public Health—Southern</i>	Dr G. White
<i>Assistant Director (Administration)</i>	H. C. Harrison

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LIST OF REPRESENTATIVES AND OFFICIALS—continued

INTERIOR—

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Commonwealth Bureau of Meteorology—

Regional Director W. R. Wilkie

Darwin Airport J. W. Nicholas

Alice Springs Airport W. T. P. Smith

Commonwealth Electoral Office Returning Officer C. W. Edwards

Northern Territory Administration—

Administrator Hon. F. C. Chaney, C.B.E., A.F.C.

Deputy Administrator A. T. O'Brien

Assistant Administrator, Lands and Community
Development E. F. Dwyer

Director, Urban Development and Town
Planning Branch T. J. Brooks

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ORDINANCES AND REGULATIONS PROMULGATED NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1971

ORDINANCES

No.	Title
1.	Public Service Ordinance (No. 2) 1970
2.	Crown Lands Ordinance (No. 5) 1970
3.	Apprentices Ordinance 1971
4.	Cemeteries Ordinance 1971
5.	Child Welfare Ordinance 1971
6.	Housing Ordinance 1971
7.	Lottery and Gaming Ordinance 1971
8.	Marine Board and Navigation Ordinance 1964 Amendment Ordinance 1971
9.	Police and Police Offences Ordinance 1971
10.	Public Service Ordinance 1971
11.	Road Traffic Ordinance 1971
12.	Social Welfare Ordinance 1971
13.	Traffic Ordinance 1971
14.	Water Supplies Development Ordinance 1971
15.	Child Welfare Ordinance (No. 2) 1971
16.	Licensing Ordinance 1971
17.	Local Courts Ordinance 1971
18.	Co-operative Trading Societies (Loans Guarantee) Ordinance (No. 2) 1970
19.	Prevention of Pollution of Water by Oil Ordinance 1970
20.	Mining Ordinance 1970
21.	Darwin Rates Ordinance 1971
22.	Darwin Town Area Leases Ordinance 1971
23.	Freehold Titles Ordinance 1971
24.	Rent for Agricultural and Miscellaneous Leases (Darwin Town Area) Ordinance 1971
25.	Special Purposes Leases Ordinance 1971
26.	Maintenance Ordinance 1971
27.	Alice Springs Town Management Ordinance Repeal Ordinance 1971
28.	Control of Waters Ordinance 1971
29.	Ports Ordinance 1969 Transitional Provisions Ordinance 1971
30.	Weights and Measures (Packaged Goods) Ordinance 1971
31.	Medical Practitioners Registration Ordinance 1971
32.	Motor Vehicles Ordinance 1971
33.	Parole of Prisoners Ordinance 1971
34.	Criminal Law (Conditional Release of Offenders) Ordinance 1971
35.	Traffic Ordinance (No. 2) 1971
36.	Crown Lands Ordinance 1971
37.	Freehold Titles Ordinance (No. 2) 1971
38.	Special Purposes Leases Ordinance (No. 2) 1971
39.	Mining Ordinance 1971
40.	Licensing Ordinance (No. 2) 1971
41.	Architects Ordinance 1971
42.	Control of Roads Ordinance 1971
43.	Firearms Ordinance 1971
44.	Housing Ordinance (No. 2) 1971
45.	Mining Ordinance 1970 Amendment Ordinance 1971
46.	Motor Vehicles Ordinance (No. 2) 1971
47.	Town Planning Ordinance 1971
48.	Traffic Ordinance (No. 3) 1971
49.	Co-operative Societies Ordinance 1971
50.	Encouragement of Primary Production Ordinance 1971
51.	Mining Ordinance (No. 2) 1971
52.	Ports Ordinance 1971
53.	Veterinary Surgeons Ordinance 1971
54.	Marketable Securities Ordinance 1971
55.	Crown Lands (No. 2) 1971
56.	Crown Lands (No. 3) 1971
57.	Crown Lands (No. 4) 1971
58.	Darwin Town Area Leases (No. 2) 1971
59.	Darwin Town Area Leases (No. 3) 1971
60.	Wards' Employment Ordinance Repeal 1971
61.	Town Planning (No. 2) 1971
62.	Town Planning (No. 4) 1971

ORDINANCES AND REGULATIONS PROMULGATED NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1971--continued

REGULATIONS

No.	Title
1.	Explosives Regulations
2.	Adoption of Children Regulations
3.	Public Service Regulations
4.	Electricity Supply Regulations
5.	Workmen's Compensation Tribunal Rules
6.	National Parks and Gardens (Ayers Rock-Mount Olga National Park) By-Laws
7.	National Parks and Gardens (General) By-Laws
8.	National Parks and Gardens (Berry Springs Recreation Reserve) By-Laws
9.	National Parks and Gardens (Howard Springs Recreation Reserve) By-Laws
10.	National Parks and Gardens (Mataranka Pool Reserve) By-Laws
11.	National Parks and Gardens (Simpsons Gap National Park) By-Laws
12.	National Parks and Gardens (Alice Springs Telegraph Station National Park) By-Laws
13.	Local Government Regulations
14.	Public Service Regulations
15.	Maintenance Regulations
16.	Apprentices Regulations
17.	Amendments of the Apprenticeship Regulations
18.	Darwin Rates Regulations
19.	National Parks and Gardens (General) By-Laws
20.	Public Service Regulations
21.	Apprenticeship Determination
22.	Marketable Securities
23.	Local Court Rules

TABLE 1.—ESTIMATED POPULATION: NORTHERN TERRITORY AND DARWIN, 1911 TO 1971

30 June—	Northern Territory				Darwin (b) Persons
	Males	Females	Persons	Rate of growth % ^(a)	
1911	2,738	595	3,333	..	(c)958
1916	3,791	961	4,752	7.35	(d)
1921	2,856	1,076	3,932	-3.72	(e)1,399
1926	2,977	976	3,953	0.11	(d)
1931	3,568	1,452	5,020	4.90	(d)
1933(f)	3,378	1,472	4,850	-0.68	1,566
1935	3,502	1,641	5,143	4.38	(d)
1936	3,598	1,763	5,361	4.24	(d)
1937	3,705	1,815	5,520	2.97	(d)
1938	3,924	1,924	5,848	5.94	(d)
1939	4,252	2,029	6,281	7.40	(d)
1940	5,670	2,345	8,015	27.61	(d)
1941	7,323	2,755	10,078	25.74	(d)
1942	6,882	2,183	9,065	-10.05	(d)
1943	7,226	3,160	10,386	14.57	(d)
1944	7,224	3,212	10,436	0.48	(d)
1945	7,248	3,270	10,518	0.79	(d)
1946	7,230	3,332	10,562	0.42	(d)
1947(f)	7,378	3,490	10,868	2.90	(b)5,208
1948	8,122	4,132	12,254	12.75	(d)
1949	8,728	4,663	13,391	9.28	(d)
1950	9,547	5,145	14,692	9.72	(d)
1951	10,073	5,536	15,609	6.24	(d)
1952	9,973	5,491	15,464	-0.93	(d)
1953	10,101	5,752	15,853	2.52	(d)
1954(f)	10,288	6,181	16,469	3.89	8,071
1955	11,431	6,779	18,210	10.57	9,065
1956	12,021	7,535	19,556	7.39	9,888
1957	12,675	8,386	21,061	7.70	10,813
1958	13,163	8,934	22,097	4.92	11,517
1959	14,291	9,798	24,089	9.01	12,743
1960	15,221	10,352	25,573	6.16	13,728
1961(f)	(g)25,052	(g)19,429	(g)44,481	(h)5.95	15,477
1962	25,845	20,159	46,004	3.42	16,152
1963	27,099	21,362	48,461	5.34	17,383
1964	28,595	22,868	51,463	6.19	(i)18,554
1965	29,818	24,040	53,858	4.65	20,466
1966(f)	31,159	25,345	56,504	4.91	21,671
1967	34,218	27,443	61,661	9.13	23,350
1968	37,484	29,705	67,189	8.97	26,270
1969	40,596	31,843	72,439	7.81	29,340
1970	43,933	34,182	78,115	7.84	(i)32,943
1971(f)(j)	48,159	37,360	85,519	9.48	36,828

(a) Total increase in population during the year ended 30 June expressed as a proportion (per cent) of the population at the end of the previous year ended 30 June. For dates prior to 1934 the figure given is the average annual rate of growth (per cent) from the previous date. (b) The figures from 1947 onwards relate to the proposed Greater Darwin Area. (c) Population at Census, 3 April 1911. (d) No satisfactory estimate available. (e) Population at Census, 4 April 1921. (f) Census. (g) Includes an estimate for full-blood Aborigines out of contact at the Census. (h) Based on an estimate of the population at 30 June 1961 excluding full-blood Aborigines. (i) Population Count. (j) Preliminary figures.

NOTE. Figures before 1961 exclude particulars of full-blood Aborigines as required by Section 127 of the Constitution prior to its repeal in 1967. The difference between the figures shown above for 1961 and 1966 and the corresponding figures shown in Tables 5, 9 to 16, 19 to 23 and 32 following, which exclude full-blood Aborigines, cannot be taken as reliable statistics of the Aboriginal population.

TABLE 2.—BIRTHS, DEATHS, MARRIAGES AND DIVORCES: NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1911 TO 1971

Year					Births(a)	Deaths(a)	Marriages(a)	Divorces(b)
1911	..	..	..	..	31	65	10	..
1916	..	..	..	..	74	122	19	1
1921	..	..	..	..	79	80	15	..
1926	..	..	..	..	73	64	14	..
1931	..	..	..	..	72	70	25	1
1932	..	..	..	..	79	73	22	..
1933	..	..	..	..	74	61	28	1
1934	..	..	..	..	88	60	30	1
1935	..	..	..	..	84	70	42	..
1936	..	..	..	..	113	60	41	2
1937	..	..	..	..	99	63	69	4
1938	..	..	..	..	102	69	67	4
1939	..	..	..	..	138	88	85	4
1940	..	..	..	..	173	86	154	2
1941	..	..	..	..	216	122	179	8
1942	..	..	..	..	92	83	53	4
1943	..	..	..	..	80	49	46	..
1944	..	..	..	..	89	31	31	3
1945	..	..	..	..	90	35	48	4
1946	..	..	..	..	132	55	63	4
1947	..	..	..	..	276	65	124	6
1948	..	..	..	..	280	73	110	3
1949	..	..	..	..	346	92	130	12
1950	..	..	..	..	411	96	144	6
1951	..	..	..	..	407	117	143	13
1952	..	..	..	..	448	89	137	6
1953	..	..	..	..	460	116	154	12
1954	..	..	..	..	513	106	143	20
1955	..	..	..	..	515	119	151	18
1956	..	..	..	..	556	107	160	25
1957	..	..	..	..	646	115	178	18
1958	..	..	..	..	697	106	201	16
1959	..	..	..	..	796	124	205	14
1960	..	..	..	..	777	134	208	6
1961	..	..	..	..	878	128	207	23
1962	..	..	..	..	924	144	243	38
1963	..	..	..	..	859	161	260	38
1964	..	..	..	..	911	164	233	31
1965	..	..	..	..	914	161	296	41
1966	..	..	..	..	972	154	312	58
1967	..	..	..	..	1,921	527	325	20
1968	..	..	..	..	2,084	543	419	23
1969	..	..	..	..	2,274	485	413	44
1970	..	..	..	..	2,624	608	501	50
1971	..	..	..	..	2,832	637	485	57

(a) Numbers registered during the year. Excludes particulars of full-blood Aborigines prior to 1967. number of decrees of dissolution, nullities of marriage and judicial separations.

(b) Total

**TABLE 3.—BIRTHS, DEATHS, MARRIAGES AND DIVORCES
NORTHERN TERRITORY 1967 TO 1971**

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971
Births(a)—					
Males—					
Nuptial	874	896	998	1,140	1,147
Ex-nuptial	135	154	172	188	331
Total	1,009	1,050	1,170	1,328	1,478
Females—					
Nuptial	788	876	961	1,058	1,021
Ex-nuptial	124	158	143	238	333
Total	912	1,034	1,104	1,296	1,354
Total births	1,921	2,084	2,274	2,624	2,832
Crude birth rate(b)	31.1	31.0	31.3	33.4	33.1
Deaths(a)—					
Males	312	316	295	364	388
Females	215	227	190	244	249
Total deaths	527	543	485	608	637
Crude death rate(b)	8.5	8.1	6.7	7.7	7.5
Marriages(a)—Number	325	419	413	501	485
Crude marriage rate(b)	5.3	6.2	5.7	6.4	5.7
Divorces(c)—Number	20	23	44	50	55
Infant deaths(a)(d)—					
Early neo-natal—					
Under one day	23	29	19	32	29
One day and under one week	25	13	14	19	25
Late neo-natal—					
One week and under four weeks	11	10	9	7	12
Post neo-natal—					
Four weeks and under one year	63	49	61	68	104
Total under one year	122	101	103	126	170
Infant mortality rate(e)	63.5	48.5	45.3	48.0	60.0

(a) Numbers registered during the year.
nullities of marriage and judicial separations.
live births registered.

(b) Per 1,000 of mean population.
(d) Included in deaths, above.

(c) Decrees absolute. Excludes
(e) Number of deaths per 1,000

**TABLE 4.—CAUSES OF DEATH(a): NUMBERS, PROPORTIONS AND CRUDE RATES(b), MALES AND FEMALES
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1970**

(Abbreviated list of 50 causes with certain sub-divisions)

Cause of death	ICD numbers	Males				Females			
		Number of infant deaths	Total deaths			Number of infant deaths	Total deaths		
			Number	% of total	Crude rates(b)		Number	% of total	Crude rates(b)
B1 Cholera	000	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
B2 Typhoid fever	001	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
B3 Bacillary dysentery and amoebiasis	004, 006	..	1	0.3	2.3	..	1	0.4	2.9
B4 Enteritis and other diarrhoeal diseases	008, 009	12	17	4.7	38.5	..	1	0.4	2.9
B5 Tuberculosis of respiratory system	010-012	..	8	2.2	18.1	8	18	7.4	52.3
B6 Other tuberculosis, including late effects	013-019	..	1	0.3	2.3	..	3	1.2	8.7
B7 Plague	020	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
B8 Diphtheria	032	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
B9 Whooping cough	033	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
B10 Streptococcal sore throat and scarlet fever	034	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
B11 Meningococcal infection	036	..	3	0.8	6.8	..	..	..	..
B12 Acute poliomyelitis	040-043	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
B13 Smallpox	050	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
B14 Measles	055	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
B15 Typhus and other rickettsioses	080-083	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
B16 Malaria	084	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
B17 Syphilis and its sequelae	090-097	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
B18 All other infective and parasitic diseases	Remainder of 000-136	5	9	2.5	20.4	..	1	0.4	2.9
B19 Malignant neoplasms—							4	1.6	11.6
(i) Digestive organs	150-159	..	6	1.6	13.6	..	3	1.2	11.7
(ii) Lung	162	..	9	2.5	20.4	..	4	1.6	11.6
(iii) Skin	172, 173	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
(iv) Breast	174	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
(v) Genital organs	180-187	..	..	..	..	..	4	1.6	11.6
(vi) Urinary organs	188, 189	..	..	..	..	..	4	1.6	11.6
(vii) Leukaemia and aleukaemia	204-207	..	1	0.3	2.3	..	..	..	..
(viii) Other malignant and lymphatic neoplasms	Remainder of 140-209	..	10	2.7	22.6	..	5	2.0	14.5
Total, B19			26	7.1	58.5	..	20	8.2	58.1
B20 Benign and unspecified neoplasms	210-239	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

B21	Diabetes mellitus	250	6	1.6	13.6	1	0.4	2.9
B22	Avitaminoses and other nutritional deficiency	260-269	2	0.5	4.5	11	4.5	31.9
B23	Anaemias	280-285	1	0.3	2.3			
B24	Meningitis	320	2	0.8	6.8	2	0.8	5.8
B25	Active rheumatic fever	390-392	1	0.3	2.3			
B26	Chronic rheumatic heart disease	393-398	2	0.5	4.5	2	0.8	5.8
B27	Hypertensive disease	400-404				2	0.8	5.8
B28	Ischaemic heart disease	410-414	29	8.0	65.6	8	3.3	23.2
B29	Other forms of heart disease	420-429	14	3.8	31.7	9	3.7	26.1
B30	Cerebrovascular disease	430-438	11	3.0	24.9	12	4.9	34.9
B31	Influenza	470-474	1	7	15.8	10	4.1	29.0
B32	Pneumonia	480-486	7	35	79.2	22	9.0	63.9
B33	Bronchitis, emphysema and asthma	490-493	6	1.6	13.6	2	0.8	5.8
B34	Peptic ulcer	531-533	1	0.3	2.3	1	0.4	2.9
B35	Appendicitis	540-543						
B36	Intestinal obstruction and hernia	550-553, 560						
B37	Cirrhosis of liver	571	5	1.4	11.3	2	0.8	5.8
B38	Nephritis and nephrosis	580-584						
B39	Hyperplasia of prostate	600						
B40	Abortion	640-645				1	0.4	2.9
B41	Other complications of pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium	630-639, 650-678				4	1.6	11.6
B42	Congenital anomalies	740-759	6	7	15.8	3	1.2	8.7
B43	Birth injury, difficult labour and other anoxic and hypoxic conditions	764-768, 772, 776	10	10	2.7	7	2.9	20.3
B44	Other causes of perinatal mortality	Remainder of 760-779	15	15	4.1	16	6.6	46.5
B45	Symptoms and ill-defined conditions	780-796	1	46	12.6	3	12.7	90.0
B46	(i) Arteriosclerosis	440	1	0.3	2.3	2	0.8	5.8
	(ii) Other diseases of circulatory system	441-448, 450-458	3	0.8	6.8	1	0.4	2.9
	(iii) Other diseases of respiratory system	460-466, 500-508, 510-519	5	8	2.2	4	3.7	26.1
	(iv) All other diseases	Remainder of 240-738	1	12	3.3	1	9	3.7
	Total, B46		6	24	6.6	5	8.6	61.0
BE47	Motor vehicle accidents	E810-E823		31	8.5	1	16	6.6
BE48	All other accidents	E800-E807, E825-E949	2	31	8.2	1	8	3.3
BE49	Suicide and self-inflicted injuries	E950-E959		8	2.2		2	0.8
BE50	All other external causes	E960-E999		4	1.1		3	1.2
ALL CAUSES			68	364	100.0	5	244	100.0
								708.7

(a) Classified according to the Eighth (1965) Revision of the World Health Organization's International Classification of Diseases.

(b) Per 100,000 of mean population.

**TABLE 5.—POPULATION(a): NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUSES
1881 TO 1971**

Census					Males	Females	Persons
3 April 1881	..	..	..	..	3,347	104	3,451
5 April 1891	..	..	..	..	4,560	338	4,898
31 March 1901	..	..	..	..	4,216	595	4,811
3 April 1911	..	..	..	..	2,734	576	3,310
4 April 1921	..	..	..	..	2,821	1,046	3,867
30 June 1933	..	..	..	..	3,378	1,472	4,850
30 June 1947	..	..	..	..	7,378	3,490	10,868
30 June 1954	..	..	..	..	10,288	6,181	16,469
30 June 1961	..	..	..	..	16,206	10,889	27,095
30 June 1966	..	..	..	..	31,159	25,345	56,504
30 June 1971(b)	..	..	..	..	48,159	37,360	85,519

(a) Excludes full-blood Aborigines for each Census prior to 1966.

(b) Preliminary figures.

**TABLE 6.—POPULATION, BY AGE AND MASCULINITY, DARWIN
ALICE SPRINGS AND TENNANT CREEK, POPULATION COUNT
30 JUNE 1970**

Age last birthday (years)				Darwin(a)			Alice Springs(b)			Tennant Creek(c)		
				Males	Females	Mascu- linity(d)	Males	Females	Mascu- linity(d)	Males	Females	Mascu- linity(d)
0-4	..	..	..	2,153	2,121	101.5	694	654	106.1	153	162	94.4
5-9	..	..	..	1,915	1,746	109.7	573	557	102.9	141	110	128.2
10-14	..	..	..	1,524	1,378	110.6	439	456	96.3	84	70	120.0
15-19	..	..	..	1,112	1,199	92.7	302	325	92.9	60	48	125.0
20-24	..	..	..	2,318	2,155	107.6	592	645	91.8	237	102	232.4
25-29	..	..	..	2,310	1,788	129.2	616	535	115.1	234	109	214.7
30-34	..	..	..	1,736	1,207	143.8	449	372	120.7	147	71	207.0
35-39	..	..	..	1,332	914	145.7	367	286	128.3	133	54	246.3
40-44	..	..	..	1,198	716	167.3	295	234	126.1	119	46	258.7
45-49	..	..	..	898	623	144.1	229	184	124.5	85	38	223.7
50-54	..	..	..	567	403	140.7	161	137	117.5	48	23	208.7
55-59	..	..	..	402	252	159.5	128	105	121.9	48	28	171.4
60-64	..	..	..	227	184	123.4	86	91	94.5	24	21	114.3
65-69	..	..	..	166	106	156.6	77	49	157.1	20	9	222.2
70-74	..	..	..	90	70	128.6	46	35	131.4	7	6	116.7
75 and over	..	..	..	61	72	84.7	40	34	117.7	7	5	140.0
Total	..	..	..	18,009	14,934	120.6	5,094	4,699	108.4	1,547	902	171.5

(a) Proposed Greater Darwin Area. (b) Urban Alice Springs. (c) Urban Tennant Creek and associated mining establishments within a radius of approximately 30 miles. (d) Number of males per 100 females.

**TABLE 7.—POPULATION BY PERIOD OF RESIDENCE IN THE
NORTHERN TERRITORY, DARWIN, ALICE SPRINGS AND TENNANT
CREEK, POPULATION COUNT, 30 JUNE 1970**

Period of residence	Darwin(a)			Alice Springs(b)			Tennant Creek(c)		
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
Less than 6 months ..	3,585	2,582	6,167	970	863	1,833	353	123	476
6 months and under 1 year ..	1,757	1,445	3,202	612	612	1,224	138	58	196
1 year and under 2 years ..	2,209	1,942	4,151	578	517	1,095	173	99	272
2 years and over ..	10,458	8,965	19,423	2,934	2,707	5,641	883	622	1,505
TOTAL ..	18,009	14,934	32,943	5,094	4,699	9,793	1,547	902	2,449

(a), (b), (c)—see footnotes, (a), (b), (c), Table 6.

NOTE. For persons in the Territory at 30 June who had previously left the Northern Territory for reasons other than recreation leave or furlough, only current period of residence counted.

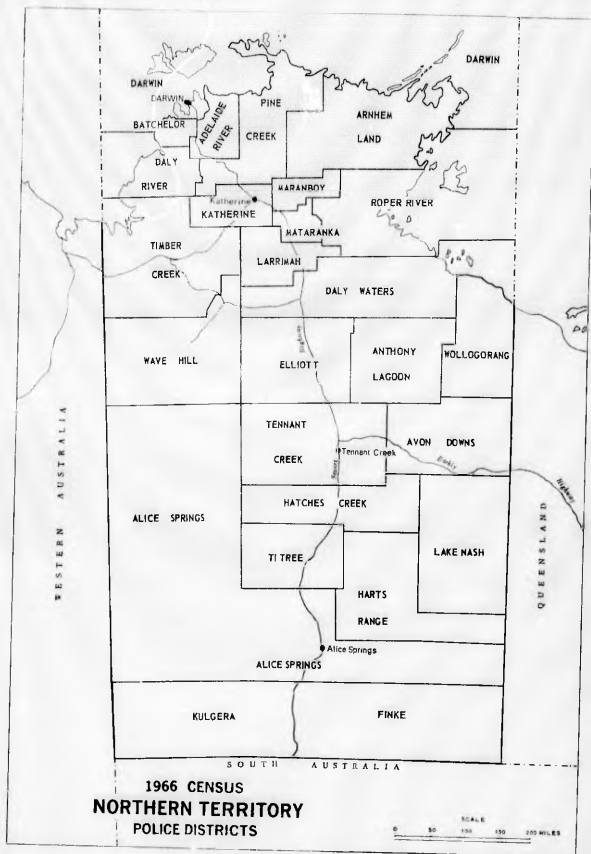
**TABLE 8.—POPULATION BY RESIDENT STATUS, DARWIN, ALICE
SPRINGS AND TENNANT CREEK, POPULATION COUNT
30 JUNE 1970**

Resident Status	Darwin(a)			Alice Springs(b)			Tennant Creek(c)		
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
Resident(d) ..	16,446	14,023	30,469	4,625	4,326	8,951	1,480	857	2,337
Tourist(e) ..	361	371	732	189	197	386	27	28	55
Visitor(f) ..	1,202	540	1,742	280	176	456	40	17	57
TOTAL ..	18,009	14,934	32,943	5,094	4,699	9,793	1,547	902	2,449

(a), (b), (c)—see footnotes, (a), (b), (c), Table 6. (d) Persons who had, at 30 June 1970, resided in the Northern Territory for 6 months or more or who intended to remain for 6 months or more during 1970.

(e) Persons temporarily in the Northern Territory on holiday, touring etc., who intended to stay for less than 6 months during 1970.

(f) Persons temporarily in the Northern Territory for business or family reasons who intended staying for less than 6 months.



**TABLE 9.—POPULATION(a): POLICE DISTRICTS, NORTHERN
TERRITORY, CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1966**

Police District	Males	Females	Persons
Darwin —			
City of Darwin—			
Urban Darwin (part)	10,178	8,497	18,675
Rural (part)	13	7	20
Total City of Darwin	10,191	8,504	18,695
Urban Darwin (part)	1,490	1,040	2,530
Total Urban Darwin	11,668	9,537	21,205
Rural (part)	2,331	2,191	4,522
Total Darwin	14,012	11,735	25,747
Adelaide River—Rural	265	150	415
Alice Springs—			
Urban Alice Springs	3,226	3,164	6,390
Rural	2,261	2,179	4,440
Total Alice Springs	5,487	5,343	10,830
Anthony Lagoon—Rural	253	155	408
Arnhem Land—Rural	876	735	1,611
Avon Downs—Rural	310	168	478
Batchelor—Rural	381	192	573
Daly River—Rural	552	443	995
Daly Waters—Rural	363	215	578
Elliott—Rural	272	208	480
Finke—Rural	239	150	389
Harts Range—Rural	279	242	521
Hatches Creek—Rural	411	423	834
Katherine—			
Urban Katherine	862	644	1,506
Rural Katherine	628	384	1,012
Total Katherine	1,490	1,028	2,518
Kulgera—Rural	242	275	517
Lake Nash—Rural	154	111	265
Larrimah—Rural	64	37	101
Maranboy—Rural	437	318	755
Mataranka—Rural	136	107	243
Pine Creek—Rural	816	524	1,340
Roper River—Rural	1,035	886	1,921
Tennant Creek—			
Urban Tennant Creek	601	464	1,065
Rural Tennant Creek	606	263	869
Total Tennant Creek	1,207	727	1,934

For footnotes see end of Table.

TABLE 9.—POPULATION(a): POLICE DISTRICTS, NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUS
30 JUNE 1966—continued

Police District	Males	Females	Persons
Timber Creek—Rural	645	355	1,000
Ti-Tree—Rural	261	252	513
Wave Hill—Rural	640	423	1,063
Wollogorang—Rural	114	66	180
Migratory(b)	218	77	295
TOTAL NORTHERN TERRITORY	31,159	25,345	56,504

(a) The difference between the figures shown above and the corresponding figures shown in Tables 10 to 16, 19 to 23 and 32 following, which exclude full-blood Aborigines, cannot be taken as reliable statistics of the Aboriginal population.

(b) Refers to persons not elsewhere included who, at midnight between 30 June 1966 and 1 July 1966, were on ships in Northern Territory waters, or were travelling on long-distance trains, motor coaches or aircraft.

TABLE 10.—POPULATION AND DWELLINGS IN LOCALITIES WITH
20 DWELLINGS OR MORE AND 100 PERSONS OR MORE(a)
NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1966

Locality	Dwellings			Persons
	Occupied	Unoccupied	Total	
Urban Darwin	4,567	189	4,756	20,413
Urban Alice Springs	1,356	70	1,426	6,037
Batchelor	84	14	98	450
Urban Katherine	318	10	328	1,302
Peko Mine	32	6	38	279
Pine Creek	31	4	35	154
Urban Tennant Creek	262	13	275	1,001
Victoria River Downs Station	20	1	21	117

(a) Excludes Aborigines and dwellings occupied solely by them.

**TABLE 11.—POPULATION(a), BY AGE (GROUPED AGES)(b)
NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1966**

Age last birthday (years)	Males	Females	Persons			
			Total	Proportion of total population	Increase or decrease (—) since 1961	
					Numerical	Per cent
				%		%
0- 4	2,462	2,374	4,836	12.92	1,249	34.82
5- 9	2,045	1,912	3,957	10.57	1,257	46.56
10-14	1,407	1,356	2,763	7.38	773	38.84
15-19	1,386	1,155	2,541	6.79	1,052	70.65
20-24	2,564	1,938	4,502	12.03	1,432	46.64
25-29	2,627	1,683	4,310	11.51	1,400	48.11
30-34	1,925	1,254	3,179	8.49	325	11.39
35-39	1,943	1,074	3,017	8.06	642	27.03
40-44	1,541	900	2,441	6.52	825	51.05
45-49	1,054	712	1,766	4.72	357	25.34
50-54	874	535	1,409	3.76	363	34.70
55-59	658	395	1,053	2.81	275	35.35
60-64	463	278	741	1.98	159	27.32
65-69	309	190	499	1.33	150	42.98
70-74	145	95	240	0.64	59	32.60
75-79	65	46	111	0.30	11	11.00
80-84	26	20	46	0.12	6	15.00
85-89	9	5	14	0.04	—1	—6.67
90-94	3	2	5	0.01	2	66.67
95-99	2	1	3	0.01	3	n.a.
100 and over .. ..	..	..	..	..	—1	n.a.
TOTAL	21,508	15,925	37,433	100.00	10,331	38.15
Under 21	7,663	7,110	14,773	39.47	4,472	43.41
21-64	13,286	8,456	21,742	58.08	5,637	35.00
65 and over	559	359	918	2.45	229	33.24

(a) Excludes full-blood Aborigines.

(b) Recorded ages adjusted by the distribution of ages 'not stated'.

**TABLE 12.—POPULATION(a), BY AGE (GROUPED AGES)(b): DARWIN
ALICE SPRINGS, TENNANT CREEK AND KATHERINE, CENSUS
30 JUNE 1966**

Age last birthday (years)	Urban Darwin						Urban Alice Springs		Urban Tennant Creek		Urban Katherine	
	Part in City		Part not in City		Total		Males	Fe- males	Males	Fe- males	Males	Fe- males
	Males	Fe- males	Males	Fe- males	Males	Fe- males						
0-4 ..	1,248	1,139	162	161	1,410	1,320	414	424	98	71	95	91
5-9 ..	1,070	954	156	163	1,226	1,117	368	354	51	56	61	73
10-14 ..	802	745	78	79	880	824	260	284	37	35	47	35
15-19 ..	644	621	90	79	734	700	194	216	30	28	42	58
20-24 ..	1,011	981	253	145	1,264	1,126	281	402	52	50	111	71
25-29 ..	1,113	905	201	89	1,314	994	341	287	61	40	86	45
30-34 ..	848	630	135	89	983	719	228	219	42	44	69	32
35-39 ..	874	592	120	62	994	654	234	191	61	22	66	35
40-44 ..	700	486	78	50	778	536	191	147	32	35	53	25
45-49 ..	481	380	41	25	522	405	140	132	24	18	40	27
50-54 ..	375	253	29	21	404	274	129	114	22	17	28	11
55-59 ..	290	186	14	9	304	195	93	87	13	12	24	18
60-64 ..	187	132	14	9	201	141	82	47	14	7	19	8
65-69 ..	115	78	12	8	127	86	44	47	12	5	9	6
70-74 ..	49	53	8	4	57	57	23	17	3	1	8	3
75-79 ..	21	16	2	2	23	18	15	15	3	1	4	1
80-84 ..	8	9	..	..	8	9	4	7	3	1	..	..
85-89 ..	1	2	..	1	1	3	4	1	..	..	1	..
90-94 ..	1	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
95-99 ..	2	1	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
100 and over	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
TOTAL ..	9,840	8,184	1,393	996	11,233	9,180	3,046	2,991	558	443	763	539

(a) Excludes full-blood Aborigines.

(b) Recorded ages adjusted by distribution of ages 'not stated'.

**TABLE 13.—POPULATION, BY MARITAL STATUS(a)
NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1966**

Marital status	Males	Females	Persons		
			Total	Proportion of total population	Increase since 1961
Never married—				%	
Under 15 years of age	5,914	5,642	11,556	30.87	3,279
15 years of age and over	6,525	2,563	9,088	24.28	2,039
Total	12,439	8,205	20,644	55.15	5,318
Married	7,986	6,806	14,792	39.52	4,675
Married but permanently separated(b)	498	293	791	2.11	87
Divorced	310	163	473	1.26	90
Widowed	275	458	733	1.96	168
GRAND TOTAL	21,508	15,925	37,433	100.00	10,338

(a) Excludes full-blood Aborigines.

(b) Legally or otherwise.

**TABLE 14.—POPULATION, BY BIRTHPLACE(a)
NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1966**

Birthplace	Males	Females	Persons		
			Total	Proportion of total population	Increase since 1961
Australia—				%	
Northern Territory	4,397	4,193	8,590	22.95	2,115
Other States	11,499	8,922	20,421	54.55	5,375
Total Australia	15,896	13,115	29,011	77.50	7,490
New Zealand	211	144	355	0.95	109
Europe—					
United Kingdom and Republic of Ireland	1,939	1,148	3,087	8.25	1,015
Germany	420	167	587	1.57	126
Greece	798	399	1,197	3.20	648
Italy	472	174	646	1.73	81
Malta	19	6	25	0.07	10
Netherlands	177	88	265	0.71	98
Poland	70	15	85	0.23	15
Other	808	172	980	2.62	285
Total Europe	4,703	2,169	6,872	18.36	2,278
Other birthplaces	698	497	1,195	3.19	461
GRAND TOTAL	21,508	15,925	37,433	100.00	10,338

(a) Excludes full-blood Aborigines.

TABLE 15.—OVERSEAS BORN POPULATION, BY PERIOD OF RESIDENCE IN AUSTRALIA(a): NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1966

Period of residence in Australia (years)	Males	Females	Persons		
			Total	Proportion of total population	Increase since 1961
Under 1	553	288	841	% 9.99	391
1 and under 2	396	255	651	7.73	297
2 " " 3	396	237	633	7.52	203
3 " " 4	260	154	414	4.92	128
4 " " 5	261	177	438	5.20	135
5 and over	3,569	1,631	5,200	61.74	1,564
Not stated	177	68	245	2.91	130
TOTAL BORN OUTSIDE AUSTRALIA	5,612	2,810	8,422	100.00	2,848

(a) Excludes full-blood Aborigines.

TABLE 16.—POPULATION, BY NATIONALITY(a): NORTHERN TERRITORY CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1966

Nationality	Males	Females	Persons		
			Total	Proportion of total population	Increase or decrease(—) since 1961
British(b)—				%	
Born in Australia	15,896	13,115	29,011	77.50	7,490
Born outside Australia	3,801	2,066	5,867	15.67	2,194
Total British	19,697	15,181	34,878	93.17	9,684
Non-British—					
Austrian	78	12	90	0.24	13
Dutch	76	35	111	0.30	18
German	262	81	343	0.92	1
Greek	574	317	891	2.38	486
Hungarian	21	3	24	0.06	—37
Italian	230	108	338	0.90	—43
Polish	17	4	21	0.06	—9
Russian(c)	4	1	5	0.01	—2
Yugoslav	74	3	77	0.21	14
Other (including Stateless)	475	180	655	1.75	213
Total non-British	1,811	744	2,555	6.83	654
GRAND TOTAL	21,508	15,925	37,433	100.00	10,338

(a) Excludes full-blood Aborigines. (b) All persons of individual citizenship status who by virtue of the *Nationality and Citizenship Act 1948-1966* are deemed to be British subjects. Includes naturalised British. For purposes of this table Irish nationality is included with British. (c) Includes Ukrainian.

**TABLE 17.—POPULATION BY RACE(a): NORTHERN TERRITORY,
CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1966**

Race	Males	Females	Persons
EUROPEAN(b)	19,661	14,123	33,784
NON-EUROPEAN(c)—			
Afghan	4	1	5
African, n.e.i.	1	1	2
Arab, Persian	2	..	2
Asiatic Jew	2	..	2
Asiatic, n.e.i.	5	7	12
Australian Aboriginal(c)	10,651	10,468	21,119
Chinese	352	320	672
Cingalese, Burgher, Tamil	5	5	10
Egyptian .. .. .	..	..	..
Fijian	1	2	3
Filipino	55	63	118
Indian, Pakistani	22	17	39
Indonesian, Javanese, Timorese, etc.	17	5	22
Japanese	70	27	97
Malay	37	41	78
Maori	6	4	10
Negro .. .. .	..	1	1
Pacific Islander, n.e.i.(d)	11	4	15
Papuan, New Guinean .. .. .	..	..	..
Siamese, Thaiander	2	4	6
Syrian, Lebanese	3	1	4
Torres Strait Islander	3	3	6
Other and indefinite	2	1	3
Mixed race(e)	247	247	494
Total non-European	11,498	11,222	22,720
GRAND TOTAL(a)	31,159	25,345	56,504

(a) Includes persons who reported themselves as being more than 50 per cent Aboriginal or simply as Aboriginal. The difference between the total population and the population excluding full-blood Aborigines shown elsewhere cannot be taken as reliable statistics of the full-blood Aboriginal population due to reporting difficulties described in the bulletin *The Aboriginal Population of Australia, Summary of Characteristics* (Reference No. 2.23), and on page 136 of *Official Year Book No. 57, 1971*. (b) Persons of over 50 per cent European race. (c) Persons of more than 50 per cent of the race specified or of 50 per cent of the race specified and 50 per cent European. (d) Includes Pacific Islander, Polynesian and South Sea Islander, so described. (e) Persons of three or more races where no race represents more than 50 per cent or persons of two non-European races each of which represents 50 per cent.

TABLE 18.—POPULATION, BY RACE: DARWIN, ALICE SPRINGS, TENNANT CREEK, KATHERINE AND BATCHELOR(a), CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1966

Race	Greater Darwin						Alice Springs		Tennant Creek		Katherine		Batchelor	
	City of Darwin		Rest of Greater Darwin		Total		Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females
	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females								
EUROPEAN(b)	8,895	7,170	1,919	1,359	10,814	8,529	3,108	2,857	1,046	565	1,282	800	367	166
NON-EUROPEAN(c)----														
Afghan							3	1						
African, n.e.i.	1	1			1	1								
Arab, Persian														
Asiatic Jew	1				1									
Asiatic, n.e.i.	1	2	2	1	3	3		2						
Australian Aboriginal	691	717	1,853	1,838	2,544	2,555	2,343	2,442	158	158	193	1	209	
Chinese	283	282	6	10	289	292	9	12	1	1	7	8	14	25
Cingalese, Burgher, Tamil	4	4	1	1	5	5								
Egyptian														
Fijian														
Filipino	51	58	3	1	54	59	1						4	
Indian, Pakistani	9	11	4	1	13	12	3	5	1					
Indonesian, Javanese, Timorese, etc.	14	3	3	1	17	4								
Japanese	17	22	2		19	22	2	5						
Malay	28	36	4	2	32	38		3				2		
Maori	5	4			5	4								
Negro		1			1									
Pacific Islander, n.e.i.(d)	7	2	3	1	10	3			1	1				
Papuan, New Guinean														
Siamese, Thai	1		1	4	2	4								
Syrian, Lebanese							3	1						
Torres Strait Islander	2	3			2	3								
Other and indefinite		1	1		1	1								
Mixed race(e)	181	187	19	12	200	199	15	15		2	4	6		1
Total non-European	1,296	1,334	1,902	1,872	3,198	3,206	2,379	2,486	161	162	208	228	14	26
GRAND TOTAL(a)	10,191	8,504	3,821	3,231	14,012	11,735	5,487	5,343	1,207	727	1,490	1,028	381	192

(a) See footnote (a), Table 17. (b) Persons of over 50 per cent European race. (c) Persons of more than 50 per cent of the race specified or of 50 per cent of the race specified and 50 per cent European. (d) Includes Pacific Islander, Polynesian and South Sea Islander, so described. (e) Persons of three or more races where no race represents more than 50 per cent or persons of two non-European races each of which represents 50 per cent.

**TABLE 19.—POPULATION, BY RELIGIOUS DENOMINATION(a)
NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1966**

Religious denomination	Males	Females	Persons		
			Total	Proportion of total population	Increase or decrease (—) since 1961
Christian—				%	
Baptist	208	195	403	1.08	176
Brethren	6	10	16	0.04	—1
Catholic, Roman(b)	3,599	2,471	6,070	16.22	1,754
Catholic(b)	1,903	1,595	3,498	9.34	546
Churches of Christ	85	77	162	0.43	42
Church of England	5,736	4,561	10,297	27.51	2,132
Congregational	90	88	178	0.48	21
Lutheran	499	342	841	2.25	252
Methodist	1,610	1,436	3,046	8.14	542
Orthodox	1,032	646	1,678	4.48	819
Presbyterian	1,164	878	2,042	5.46	445
Protestant (undefined)	243	171	414	1.11	—206
Salvation Army	116	100	216	0.58	82
Seventh-day Adventist	26	28	54	0.14	37
Other (including Christian undefined)	746	703	1,449	3.87	960
Total Christian	17,063	13,301	30,364	81.12	7,601
Non-Christian—					
Hebrew	10	6	16	0.04	—7
Other	126	68	194	0.52	—12
Total non-Christian	136	74	210	0.56	—19
Indefinite	117	90	207	0.55	121
No Religion	481	214	695	1.86	436
No Reply	3,711	2,246	5,957	15.91	2,199
GRAND TOTAL	21,508	15,925	37,433	100.00	10,338

(a) Excludes full-blood Aborigines. (b) So described in individual Census Schedules.

NOTE. Section 21 of the *Census and Statistics Act 1905-1966* provides that 'No person shall be liable to any penalty for omitting or refusing to state the religious denomination or sect to which he belongs or adheres'. It is mainly for this reason that the number of people who do not state their religion is comparatively large.

**TABLE 20.—POPULATION, BY EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT(a)
NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1966**

Highest level of education attained	Males	Females	Persons	Proportion of total population		
				Males	Females	Persons
				%	%	%
Tertiary—						
University degree	443	95	538	2.06	0.60	1.44
Other tertiary qualifications ..	560	428	988	2.60	2.69	2.64
Secondary—						
Passed at leaving, matriculation, senior or schools board (A and B certificate) level	1,975	1,143	3,118	9.18	7.18	8.33
Passed at intermediate, junior or secondary school certificate level	4,317	3,163	7,480	20.07	19.86	19.98
Attended secondary school(b) ..	4,065	2,979	7,044	18.90	18.71	18.82
Primary—						
Attended primary school(c) ..	6,724	5,086	11,810	31.26	31.94	31.55
No schooling	2,941	2,764	5,705	13.67	17.36	15.24
Not stated	483	267	750	2.25	1.68	2.00
GRAND TOTAL	21,508	15,925	37,433	100.00	100.00	100.00

(a) Excludes full-blood Aborigines. (b) Passed no examinations at Intermediate, Junior or Secondary School Certificate level or above. (c) Or passed final primary examinations.

EXPLANATORY NOTES: WORK FORCE, CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1966.

At the 1961 and previous Censuses the work force was determined as:

'Those who are engaged in an industry, business, profession, trade or service at the time of the Census (including those on long service leave, etc.) . . .'; and

' . . . those out of a job at time of the Census but who are usually engaged in an industry, business, profession, trade or service . . . '

At the 1966 Census an additional set of four questions was asked in order to obtain information on the basis of which the work force could be determined more precisely. The questions were as follows.

'Did the person have a job or business of any kind last week (even though he may have been temporarily absent from it)? ANSWER "YES" or "NO".'

'Did the person do any work at all last week for payment or profit? ANSWER "YES" or "NO". Persons working without pay as a helper in a 'family business' or farm and members of the clergy and of religious orders (other than purely contemplative orders) should answer 'yes' to this question. Persons doing only unpaid housework should answer "NO".'

'Was the person temporarily laid off by his employer without pay for the whole of last week? ANSWER "YES" or "NO".'

'Did the person look for work last week? ANSWER "YES" or "NO". (NOTE. "Looking for work" means (i) being registered with Commonwealth Employment Service, or (ii) approaching prospective employers, or (iii) placing or answering advertisements, or (iv) writing letters of application, or (v) awaiting the result of recent applications).'

The work force includes all persons for whom the answer 'yes' was given to any one of these four questions. Except that persons helping but not receiving wages or a salary who usually worked less than fifteen hours a week were excluded from the work force.

This approach conforms closely to the recommendations of the Eighth International Conference of Labour Statisticians held in Geneva in 1954 and the information so obtained has been used in determining the work force for the purposes of the 1966 Census.

The effect of the new definition is to include additional persons in the work force. This applies particularly to those working part-time (sometimes for only a few hours a week) some of whom, in 1961, may not have considered themselves as '... engaged in an industry, business, profession, trade or service.'

TABLE 21.—POPULATION, BY OCCUPATIONAL STATUS(a)
NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1966

Occupational status	Males	Females	Persons	Proportion of total population distribution		
				Males	Females	Persons
				%	%	%
In work force—						
Employed—						
Employer	815	225	1,040	3.79	1.41	2.78
Self-employed	601	134	735	2.79	0.84	1.96
Employee on wage or salary	12,796	4,171	16,967	59.49	26.19	45.33
Helper, unpaid	26	76	102	0.12	0.48	0.27
Total employed	14,238	4,606	18,844	66.20	28.92	50.34
Unemployed	162	138	300	0.75	0.87	0.80
Total in work force	14,400	4,744	19,144	66.95	29.79	51.14
Not in work force—						
Child not at school	2,577	2,504	5,081	11.98	15.72	13.57
Child attending school or full-time student	3,594	3,427	7,021	16.71	21.52	18.76
Mainly dependent on pension or superannuation	312	331	643	1.45	2.08	1.72
Of independent means	87	59	146	0.40	0.37	0.39
Home duties .. ..	..	4,585	4,585	..	28.79	12.25
Inmates of institutions	69	13	82	0.32	0.08	0.22
Other not in work force	469	262	731	2.18	1.65	1.95
Total not in work force	7,108	11,181	18,289	33.05	70.21	48.86
GRAND TOTAL	21,508	15,925	37,433	100.00	100.00	100.00

(a) Excludes full-blood Aborigines.

**TABLE 22.—POPULATION, BY INDUSTRY(a): NORTHERN TERRITORY
CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1966**

Industry group	Males	Females	Persons	Proportion of total work force
Primary production	1,319	185	1,504	% 7.86
Mining and quarrying	1,231	39	1,270	6.63
Manufacturing	1,039	177	1,216	6.35
Electricity, gas, water, and sanitary services (production, supply and maintenance) ..	335	7	342	1.79
Building and construction	3,029	62	3,091	16.15
Transport, storage and communication ..	1,935	241	2,176	11.37
Finance and property	204	121	325	1.70
Commerce	939	803	1,742	9.10
Public authority (n.e.i.) and defence services ..	2,559	666	3,225	16.85
Community and business services (including professional)(b)	1,078	1,331	2,409	12.58
Amusement, hotels and other accommodation, cafés, personal service, etc.	550	885	1,435	7.50
Other industries and industry inadequately described or not stated	182	227	409	2.14
Total in work force	14,400	4,744	19,144	100.00
Persons not in work force	7,108	11,181	18,289	..
GRAND TOTAL	21,508	15,925	37,433	..

(a) Excludes full-blood Aborigines. (b) Includes police, fire brigades, hospitals, medical and dental services, education, and business services such as consultant engineering and surveying, accountancy and auditing, industrial and trade associations, advertising, etc.

**TABLE 23.—POPULATION, BY OCCUPATION(a): NORTHERN TERRITORY
CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1966**

Occupation group	Males	Females	Persons	Proportion of total work force
Professional, technical and related workers ..	1,288	890	2,178	[%] 11.38
Administrative, executive and managerial workers	1,084	168	1,252	6.54
Clerical workers	1,046	1,361	2,407	12.57
Sales workers	264	550	814	4.25
Farmers, fishermen, hunters, timber-getters and related workers	1,237	90	1,327	6.93
Miners, quarrymen and related workers ..	641	..	641	3.35
Workers in transport and communication occupations	1,156	116	1,272	6.64
Craftsmen, production-process workers and labourers n.e.i.	5,564	95	5,659	29.56
Service, sport and recreation workers ..	785	1,174	1,959	10.23
Members of armed services	1,182	100	1,282	6.70
Occupation inadequately described or not stated	153	200	353	1.84
TOTAL IN WORK FORCE	14,400	4,744	19,144	100.00

(a) Excludes full-blood Aborigines.

**TABLE 24.—THE ABORIGINAL POPULATION^(a): URBAN AND RURAL
NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1966**

	Urban	Rural	Total
Males	1,376	9,275	10,651
Females	1,412	9,056	10,468
Persons—			
Total	2,788	18,331	21,119
Proportion of total Aboriginal population %	13.20	86.80	100.00
Aboriginal population as a proportion of total population in each area .. %	9.24	70.39	37.38

(a) The figures relate to those persons who described themselves in the 1966 Census as being 50 per cent or more Aboriginal or simply as 'Aboriginal'. See also footnote (a) to Table 17.

**TABLE 25.—THE ABORIGINAL POPULATION^(a), BY AGE (GROUPED
AGES): NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1966**

Age last birthday (years)	Males	Females	Persons	Age last birthday (years)	Males	Females	Persons
0-4 ..	1,628	1,647	3,275	65-69 ..	260	224	484
5-9 ..	1,461	1,393	2,854	70-74 ..	167	121	288
10-14 ..	1,161	1,141	2,302	75 and over ..	78	66	144
15-19 ..	832	858	1,690	Not stated ..	733	644	1,377
20-24 ..	752	699	1,451				
25-29 ..	680	671	1,351	TOTAL ..	10,651	10,468	21,119
30-34 ..	618	683	1,301				
35-39 ..	518	573	1,091	Under 21 ..	5,260	5,237	10,497
40-44 ..	515	527	1,042	21-64 ..	4,153	4,176	8,329
45-49 ..	475	441	916	65 and over ..	505	411	916
50-54 ..	331	317	648	Not stated ..	733	644	1,377
55-59 ..	225	248	473				
60-64 ..	217	215	432	TOTAL ..	10,651	10,468	21,119

(a) See footnote (a) to Table 24.

**TABLE 26.—THE ABORIGINAL POPULATION(a), BY MARITAL STATUS
NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1966**

Marital status	Males	Females	Persons
Never married—			
Under 15 years of age	4,250	4,181	8,431
15 years of age and over	2,423	1,231	3,654
Total	6,673	5,412	12,085
Married	3,668	4,264	7,932
Married but permanently separated(b)	80	123	203
Divorced	10	20	30
Widowed	220	649	869
TOTAL	10,651	10,468	21,119

(a) See footnote (a) to Table 24. (b) Legally or otherwise.

**TABLE 27.—THE ABORIGINAL POPULATION(a), BY LEVEL OF
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT: NORTHERN TERRITORY
CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1966**

	Males	Females	Persons
Education—			
Matriculation or higher (b)	9	10	19
Intermediate(c)	35	49	84
Attended or attending secondary school(d)	425	500	925
Attended or attending primary school(e)	3,554	3,311	6,865
No education—			
Aged 0-4 years	1,628	1,647	3,275
Aged 5 and over	4,495	4,489	8,984
Total	6,123	6,136	12,259
Not stated	505	462	967
GRAND TOTAL	10,651	10,468	21,119

(a) See footnote (a) to Table 24. (b) Includes University degrees and other tertiary qualifications which require evidence of professional or semi-professional knowledge, obtained by tertiary study extending beyond secondary schooling. (c) Or junior or secondary school certificate level. (d) For example high, technical, post primary, but passed no examination at intermediate level or above. (e) Or passed final primary examinations.

TABLE 28.—THE ABORIGINAL POPULATION(a), BY OCCUPATIONAL STATUS: NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1966

Occupational status	Males	Females	Persons
In work force—			
Employed—			
Employer(b)	103	21	124
Wage earner	3,876	1,629	5,505
Helper, unpaid	12	30	42
Total employed	3,991	1,680	5,671
Unemployed	53	15	68
Total in work force	4,044	1,695	5,739
Not in work force—			
Child not at school	2,238	2,190	4,428
Child attending school or full-time student ..	2,300	2,289	4,589
Mainly dependent on pension or superannuation	528	721	1,249
Home duties .. .. .	..	2,684	2,684
Institutional inmates	75	48	123
Other not in work force	1,466	841	2,307
Total not in work force	6,607	8,773	15,380
GRAND TOTAL	10,651	10,468	21,119

(a) See footnote (a) to Table 24.

(b) Includes self-employed.

TABLE 29.—THE ABORIGINAL POPULATION(a), BY OCCUPATION NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1966

Occupation group	Males	Females	Persons
Professional technical and related workers ..	83	34	117
Administrative, executive and managerial workers	5	1	6
Clerical workers	10	12	22
Sales workers	17	4	21
Farmers, fishermen, hunters, timber getters and related workers	2,041	197	2,238
Miners, quarrymen and related workers	58	..	58
Workers in transport and communication occupations	134	2	136
Craftsmen, production-process workers and labourers, n.e.c.	1,394	122	1,516
Service, sport and recreation workers	221	1,284	1,505
Members of armed services .. .. .	..	..	..
Occupation inadequately described or not stated	81	39	120
Total in the work force	4,044	1,695	5,739
Total not in the work force	6,607	8,773	15,380
GRAND TOTAL	10,651	10,468	21,119

(a) See footnote (a) to Table 24.

**TABLE 30.—THE ABORIGINAL POPULATION(a), BY INDUSTRY
NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1966**

Industry group	Males	Females	Persons
Primary production	1,964	418	2,382
Mining and quarrying	74	..	74
Manufacturing	184	54	238
Electricity, gas, water and sanitary services (production, supply and maintenance) ..	44	5	49
Building and construction	256	..	256
Transport and storage	49	..	49
Communication	10	1	11
Finance and property .. .. .	..	..	..
Commerce	36	13	49
Public authority (n.e.i.) and defence services ..	120	15	135
Community and business services (including pro- fessional)	1,173	942	2,115
Amusement, hotels and other accommodation, cafés, personal service, etc.	78	216	294
Other industries .. .. .	..	..	..
Industry inadequately described or not stated ..	56	31	87
TOTAL IN THE WORK FORCE	4,044	1,695	5,739

(a) See footnote (a) to Table 24.

**TABLE 31.—OCCUPIED AND UNOCCUPIED DWELLINGS(a)
NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUSES, 1911 TO 1966**

Census					Dwellings			
					Occupied			Unoccupied (b)
					Private	Other	Total	
1911	..	..	..	..	1,194	33	1,227	23
1921	..	..	..	..	1,005	69	1,074	135
1933	..	..	..	..	1,222	79	1,301	55
1947	..	..	..	..	2,592	105	2,697	34
1954	..	..	..	..	3,237	190	3,427	47
1961	..	..	..	..	5,146	333	5,479	179
1966	..	..	..	..	7,499	568	8,067	380

(a) Excludes dwellings occupied solely by full-blood Aborigines. (b) 'Unoccupied dwellings' include vacant dwellings available for sale or renting; dwellings such as 'week-ender', 'holiday home', 'second home', 'seasonal workers' quarters', which were not occupied on the night of the census; dwellings normally occupied but whose usual occupants were temporarily absent on the night of the census; newly completed dwellings whose owners or tenants had not entered into occupation on the night of the census; dwellings described as 'to be demolished', 'condemned', 'deceased estate', 'exhibition home', etc. The total number of unoccupied dwellings shown for any area must not, therefore, be read as representing the number of vacant houses and flats available for sale or renting.

**TABLE 32.—SUMMARY OF POPULATION AND DWELLINGS(a)
NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUSES, 1961 AND 1966**

	Census, 30 June 1961			Census, 30 June 1966		
	Urban	Rural	Total	Urban	Rural	Total
Area in square miles ..	59	523,561	(b)523,620	61	520,219	(b)520,280
Population—						
Males	9,464	6,507	(c) 16,206	15,600	5,690	(c) 21,508
Females	7,510	3,350	(c) 10,889	13,153	2,695	(c) 15,925
Persons	16,974	9,857	(c) 27,095	28,753	8,385	(c) 37,433
Average number of persons per square mile ..	287.69	0.02	0.05	471.35	0.02	0.07
Dwellings(d)—						
Occupied	3,627	1,852	5,479	6,503	1,564	8,067
Unoccupied(e)	86	93	179	283	97	380
TOTAL	3,713	1,945	5,658	6,786	1,661	8,447
Average number of dwell- ings per square mile(f)	62.93	(g)	0.01	111.25	(g)	0.02

(a) Excludes full-blood Aborigines and dwellings occupied solely by them. (b) Area re-calculated in 1964 by National Mapping Office. (c) Includes population classed as migratory. (d) Private and non-private. (e) See footnote (b) to Table 31. (f) Occupied and unoccupied dwellings. (g) Less than 0.005.

TABLE 33.—DWELLINGS(a), BY CLASS: NORTHERN TERRITORY CENSUSES, 1961 AND 1966

Class of dwelling	Census, 30 June 1961		Census, 30 June 1966				Inter- annual increase or decrease (—)
	Total	Proportion of total occupied dwellings	Urban	Rural	Total	Proportion of total occupied dwellings	
		%				%	
OCCUPIED DWELLINGS—							
Private dwellings—							
Private house	3,904	71.25	4,834	983	5,817	72.11	1,913
Share of private house	189	3.45	(b)39	(b)4	43	0.53	—146
Self-contained flat	397	7.25	810	28	838	10.39	446
Share of self-contained flat	(c)	(c)	(d)5	..	5	0.06	(c) 446
Shed, hut, tent, etc.	553	10.09	367	249	616	7.64	63
Other private dwellings	103	1.88	173	7	180	2.23	77
Total private dwellings	5,146	93.92	6,228	1,271	7,499	92.96	2,353
Non-private dwellings—							
Licensed hotel	24	0.44	19	22	41	0.51	17
Motel	7	0.13	11	8	19	0.24	12
Boarding house	117	2.14	100	9	109	1.35	—8
Educational institution	2	0.04	4	..	4	0.05	2
Religious institution	11	0.20	3	7	10	0.12	—1
Charitable institution	3	0.05	13	4	17	0.21	14
Hospital	7	0.13	5	3	8	0.10	1
Staff barracks	132	2.41	106	232	338	4.19	206
Other non-private dwellings	30	0.55	14	8	22	0.27	—8
Total non-private dwellings	333	6.08	275	293	568	7.04	235
TOTAL OCCUPIED DWELLINGS	5,479	100.00	6,503	1,564	8,067	100.00	2,588
TOTAL UNOCCUPIED DWELLINGS	179	..	283	97	380	..	201

(a) Excludes dwellings occupied solely by full-blood Aborigines. (b) Represents 15 private houses in Urban Darwin and 1 in Rural Northern Territory. (c) At the 1961 Census 'Share of self-contained flat' was not separately identified. In cases where more than one household group were occupying a self-contained flat they were counted as one household group occupying a self-contained flat. (d) Represents 2 self-contained flats in Urban Darwin.

NOTE

At the 1966 Census the following definitions were used as a basis for the Census of Dwellings.

(a) An 'occupied dwelling' is any habitation occupied by a household group and may comprise the whole or only part of a building.

(b) A 'household group' is a person or group of persons living as a domestic unit with common eating arrangements. The number of 'occupied dwellings' and the number of 'households' are therefore identical by definition.

The lack of a structural definition of a dwelling is not considered a significant disadvantage in Australia as the majority of households do in fact each occupy one distinct dwelling structure (i.e. a house or a self-contained flat).

TABLE 34.—DWELLINGS BY CLASS, DARWIN, ALICE SPRINGS AND TENNANT CREEK, POPULATION COUNT, 30 JUNE 1970

Class of dwelling	Darwin(a)			Alice Springs(b)			Tennant Creek(c)		
	Number	Per cent	Average number of persons per dwelling	Number	Per cent	Average number of persons per dwelling	Number	Per cent	Average number of persons per dwelling
Private house ..	5,066	64.0	4.2	1,564	68.9	4.2	370	70.9	4.0
Flat ..	1,691	21.4	2.5	279	12.3	2.4	33	6.3	2.8
Caravan(d) ..	919	11.6	2.4	293	12.9	2.4	82	15.7	2.5
Other private(e) ..	85	1.1	2.9	90	4.0	3.3	16	3.1	3.4
Total private ..	7,761	98.0	3.6	2,226	98.0	3.7	501	96.0	3.6
Non-private(f) ..	156	2.0	30.8	45	2.0	34.9	21	4.0	29.9
TOTAL ..	7,917	100.0	4.2	2,271	100.0	4.3	522	100.0	4.7

(a) Proposed Greater Darwin Area. (b) Urban Alice Springs. (c) Urban Tennant Creek and associated mining establishments within a radius of approximately 20 miles. (d) All caravans whether on private lots or in caravan parks were regarded as separate dwellings. (e) Include sheds, tents and other makeshift dwellings which were occupied on the night of 30 June 1970. (f) Include hotels, motels, boarding and guest houses, barracks, hostels, hospitals, shipping and other group accommodation dwellings.

TABLE 35.—DWELLINGS(a): POLICE DISTRICTS, NORTHERN TERRITORY CENSUSES, 1961 AND 1966

For urban centres, which are delimited by moving boundaries in accordance with a new uniform concept introduced at the 1966 Census, boundaries for 1961 have been redrawn according to the new criteria. The dwellings (partly estimated) within these boundaries are shown in this table for comparison with 1966 number of dwellings. For further information, see Census of the Commonwealth of Australia, 30 June 1966, Field Count Statement No. 12—Population: Police Districts, Northern Territory.

Police District	Census, 30 June 1961			Census, 30 June 1966		
	Occupied	Un-occupied	Total	Occupied	Un-occupied	Total
Darwin—						
City of Darwin—						
Urban Darwin (part)	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	4,102	179	4,281
Rural (part)	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	8	1	9
Total City of Darwin	2,628	52	2,680	4,110	180	4,290
Urban Darwin (part)	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	465	10	475
Total Urban Darwin	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	4,567	189	4,756
Rural (part)	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	274	22	296
Total Darwin	3,141	82	3,223	4,849	212	5,061
Adelaide River—Rural	46	..	46	65	5	70
Alice Springs—						
Urban Alice Springs	999	34	1,033	1,356	70	1,426
Rural	88	4	92	120	6	126
Total Alice Springs	1,087	38	1,125	1,476	76	1,552
Anthony Lagoon—Rural	18	..	18	30	..	30
Arnhem Land—Rural	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	38	1	39
Avon Downs—Rural	18	..	18	37	..	37
Batchelor—Rural	120	21	141	111	18	129
Daly River—Rural	27	6	33	27	..	27
Daly Waters—Rural	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	48	1	49
Elliott—Rural	48	3	51	35	..	35
Finke—Rural	24	..	24	31	..	31
Harts Range—Rural	41	8	49	22	4	26
Hatches Creek—Rural	33	4	37	23	2	25
Katherine—						
Urban Katherine(h)	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	318	10	328
Rural	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	156	1	157
Total Katherine	197	2	199	474	11	485

For footnotes see end of Table.

**TABLE 35.—DWELLINGS(a): POLICE DISTRICTS, NORTHERN TERRITORY
CENSUSES, 1961 AND 1966—continued**

Police District	Census, 30 June 1961			Census, 30 June 1966		
	Occupied	Un-occupied	Total	Occupied	Un-occupied	Total
Kulgera—Rural	34	..	34	32	2	34
Lake Nash—Rural	27	..	27	19	3	22
Larrimah—Rural	33	1	34	14	..	14
Maranboy—Rural	24	..	24	31	..	31
Mataranka—Rural	10	..	10	18	..	18
Pine Creek—Rural	100	..	100	130	7	137
Roper River—Rural	50	..	50	58	..	58
Tennant Creek—						
Urban Tennant Creek(b) ..	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	262	13	275
Rural	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	76	7	83
Total Tennant Creek ..	283	12	295	338	20	358
Timber Creek—Rural	29	..	29	76	1	77
Ti Tree—Rural	37	2	39	21	4	25
Wave Hill—Rural	30	..	30	51	..	51
Wollongorang—Rural	11	..	11	13	..	13
TOTAL NORTHERN TERRITORY	(c) 5,479	179	(c) 5,658	8,067	367	8,434

(a) Excludes dwellings occupied solely by full-blood Aborigines. (b) Non-urban in 1961. (c) Includes 11 dwellings in the police district of Borroloola which is now incorporated in Daly Waters and Anthony Lagoon.

TABLE 36.—OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS(a), BY MATERIAL OF OUTER WALLS: NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1966

Material of outer walls	Class of dwelling			Urban	Rural	Total occupied private dwellings
	Private house	Self-contained flat	Other			
Brick(b)	1,033	299	36	1,297	71	1,368
Brick veneer(b)	70	15	3	86	2	88
Stone	28	4	5	20	17	37
Concrete	617	132	23	704	68	772
Wood	254	25	170	269	180	449
Iron, tin	390	49	192	321	310	631
Fibro-cement	3,207	310	168	3,306	379	3,685
Other	218	4	247	225	244	469
TOTAL	5,817	838	844	6,228	1,271	7,499

(a) Excludes dwellings occupied solely by full-blood Aborigines. (b) So described in individual Census Schedules.

TABLE 37.—OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS(a), BY NUMBER OF ROOMS PER DWELLING: NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1966

Number of rooms per dwelling	Class of dwelling			Urban	Rural	Total occupied private dwellings
	Private house	Self-contained flat	Other			
1	33	84	542	479	180	659
2	144	202	178	397	127	524
3	546	311	76	795	138	933
4	1,579	137	27	1,530	213	1,743
5	2,348	75	10	2,084	349	2,433
6	714	23	8	608	137	745
7	278	2	2	233	49	282
8	89	2	..	63	28	91
9	40	1	1	21	21	42
10	19	1	..	11	9	20
11 and over	27	..	..	7	20	27
TOTAL	5,817	838	844	6,228	1,271	7,499

(a) Excludes dwellings occupied solely by full-blood Aborigines.

NOTE. Kitchen and permanently enclosed sleep-out are included in number of rooms, but not bathroom, pantry, laundry or storehouse.

TABLE 38.—OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS(a), BY NUMBER OF INMATES: NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1966

Number of inmates per dwelling	Class of dwelling			Urban	Rural	Total occupied private dwellings
	Private house	Self-contained flat	Other			
1	341	185	293	591	228	819
2	991	303	274	1,303	265	1,568
3	1,030	177	144	1,151	200	1,351
4	1,280	97	62	1,198	241	1,439
5	919	44	37	842	158	1,000
6	573	14	19	518	88	606
7	327	11	10	310	38	348
8	179	5	1	157	28	185
9	68	2	3	60	13	73
10	53	..	..	44	9	53
11 and over	56	..	1	54	3	57
TOTAL	5,817	838	844	6,228	1,271	7,499
Average number of inmates per dwelling	4.14	2.56	2.30	3.82	3.44	3.76

(a) Excludes dwellings occupied solely by full-blood Aborigines.

TABLE 39.—OCCUPIED PRIVATE HOUSES AND SELF-CONTAINED FLATS(a) BY NATURE OF OCCUPANCY: NORTHERN TERRITORY CENSUSES, 1961 AND 1966

Nature of occupancy	Census, 30 June 1961		Census, 30 June 1966				Inter- censal increase	
	Total	Proportion of total	Urban	Rural	Total	Proportion of total		
PRIVATE HOUSES								
Owner	}	1,335	34.20	1,559	267	1,826	31.39	491
Purchaser by instalments		1,160	29.71	2,057	145	2,202	37.85	1,042
Tenant of Government Authorities(b)		1,189	30.46	1,070	384	1,454	25.00	265
Other tenant		199	5.10	124	169	293	5.04	94
Other methods of occupancy		21	0.54	24	18	42	0.72	21
Not stated								
TOTAL		3,904	100.00	4,834	983	5,817	100.00	1,913
SELF-CONTAINED FLATS (c)								
Owner	}	50	12.59	72	7	79	9.43	29
Purchaser by instalments		52	13.10	176	..	176	21.00	124
Tenant of Government Authorities(b)		260	65.49	513	14	527	62.89	267
Other tenant		31	7.81	33	7	40	4.77	9
Other methods of occupancy		4	1.01	16	..	16	1.91	12
Not stated								
TOTAL		397	100.00	810	28	838	100.00	441

(a) Excludes dwellings occupied solely by full-blood Aborigines. (b) Northern Territory Administration or Housing Commission. (c) At the 1961 Census share of self-contained flat was not separately identified. In cases where more than one household group were occupying a self-contained flat they were counted as one household group occupying a self-contained flat.

**TABLE 40.—OCCUPIED TENANTED PRIVATE DWELLINGS
BY WEEKLY RENT (UNFURNISHED)(a): NORTHERN TERRITORY
CENSUSES, 1961 AND 1966**

Weekly rent (unfurnished)	Census, 30 June 1961				Census, 30 June 1966			
	Houses (b)	Flats	Other	Total	Houses	Flats	Sheds, huts etc (c)	Total
Under \$2	146	13	3	162	73	10	16	99
\$ 2 and under \$ 4	217	31	5	253	121	15	8	144
\$ 4 \$ 6	342	10	6	358	194	25	9	228
\$ 6 \$ 8	192	11	7	210	167	22	6	195
\$ 8 \$10	150	7	5	162	333	35	3	371
\$10 \$12	58	5	3	66	540	47	7	594
\$12 \$14	23	5	3	31	59	9	3	71
\$14 \$16	14	6	3	23	24	11	1	36
\$16 \$18	12	11	1	24	30	15	2	47
\$18 \$20	2	1	..	3	15	2	1	18
\$20 \$22	16	8	1	25	15	13	3	31
\$22 \$24					4	3	..	7
\$24 \$26					9	4	..	13
\$26 \$28 .. ..					..	1	..	1
\$28 \$30 .. ..					..	..	..	..
\$30 and over	1,456	204	174	1,834	13	3	2	18
Not stated(d)					401	54	52	507
TOTAL UNFURNISHED	2,628	312	211	3,151	1,998	269	113	2,380
Total furnished(c) .. ..	..	..	..	..	1,658	434	80	2,172

(a) Excludes dwellings occupied solely by full-blood Aborigines. (b) Includes sheds, huts, tents etc. (c) Includes also shares of private houses and self-contained flats but excludes 'other private dwellings'. (d) In 1961 dwellings rented on a furnished basis were included in 'Not stated'.

**TABLE 41.—OCCUPIED PRIVATE HOUSES AND SELF-CONTAINED FLATS(a)
BY FACILITY: NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUS, 30 JUNE 1966**

Facility	Urban		Rural		Total	
	Houses	Flats	Houses	Flats	Houses	Flats
Gas only	9	1	44	..	53	1
Electricity only	4,299	714	637	14	4,936	728
Gas and electricity	463	71	191	14	654	85
Neither gas nor electricity	17	2	86	..	103	2
Not stated	46	22	25	..	71	22
TOTAL	4,834	810	983	28	5,817	838
Television set	34	4	8	..	42	4

(a) Excludes dwellings occupied solely by full-blood Aborigines.

**TABLE 42.—WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT:
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1968 TO 1971**

(Excluding defence forces and employees in agriculture and private domestic service)

('000 persons)

Industry	June 1968		June 1969		June 1970		June 1971	
	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females
Mining and quarrying ..	1.6	0.1	1.8	0.1	2.1	0.1	2.0	0.1
Manufacturing ..	1.2	0.3	1.3	0.3	1.5	0.3	1.5	0.3
Building and construction ..	3.7	0.1	4.2	0.2	4.8	0.2	6.0	0.2
Transport and storage ..	1.6	0.2	1.6	0.2	1.8	0.3	2.0	0.3
Commerce ..	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.3	1.5
Public authority activities (n.e.i.) ..	1.6	0.7	1.9	0.9	2.1	1.1	2.2	1.1
Community and business services ..	2.9	2.6	3.0	2.8	3.3	3.0	3.6	3.2
Other industries(a) ..	2.1	1.4	2.3	1.5	2.5	1.7	2.6	1.8
Total, all industries ..	15.6	6.4	17.2	7.2	19.3	8.1	21.2	8.7

(a) Comprises forestry, fishing and trapping; electricity, gas, water and sanitary services; communication; finance and property; amusement, hotels, cafes, personal service, etc.

NOTE: The estimates shown above are based on comprehensive data derived for the purpose from the population census of June 1966. The estimates are derived from pay-roll tax returns, returns of government employment, other direct returns of employment and estimates of the number of employees not covered by these collections.

For information on Average Weekly Earnings see Appendix, page 99.

**TABLE 43.—TRADE UNIONS AND MEMBERSHIP: NORTHERN TERRITORY
1965 TO 1970**

31 December—	Number of separate unions	Number of members(a) '000
1965	33	3.5
1966	38	4.1
1967	40	4.5
1968	40	5.6
1969	43	5.9
1970	45	6.6

(a) Excludes some union members associated with State organisations. The figures reflect in part more accurate reporting, and comparability of figures between years is affected by this aspect.

**TABLE 44.—INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES(a): NORTHERN TERRITORY
1966 TO 1971**

Year	Number of disputes	Workers involved (directly and indirectly) '000	Working days lost '000	Estimated loss in wages \$'000
1966	4	0.3	1.2	17.3
1967	16	2.7	9.1	113.7
1968	37	3.7	4.6	50.2
1969	33	8.2	8.7	124.8
1970	62	11.6	27.0	424.4
1971	41	9.6	15.7	271.5

(a) Refers only to disputes involving a stoppage of work of 10 man-days or more.

**TABLE 45.—CLIMATOLOGICAL DATA FOR SELECTED STATIONS
NORTHERN TERRITORY**

Month	Mean temperature ° F.		Extreme shade temperature ° F.		Mean relative humidity at 9 a.m. (%)	Prevailing direction of wind		Rainfall (inches)			
	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.		9 a.m.	3 p.m.	Mean monthly	Greatest monthly	Least monthly	Greatest in one day
DARWIN											
January ..	89.9	77.3	(a) 100.0	(a) 68.0	(b) 78	NW-S	W-NW	16.18	(c) 27.86	(c) 2.67	(c) 11.67
February ..	89.8	77.1	100.9	63.0	79	W-S	W-NW	12.37	28.23	0.53	11.00
March ..	90.2	77.1	102.0	66.6	78	SE	W-NW	11.18	23.42	0.81	7.18
April ..	91.9	75.9	104.0	60.8	69	SE	E	3.08	23.74	Nil	6.22
May ..	90.1	72.6	102.3	59.1	63	SE	E	0.33	11.76	Nil	1.76
June ..	87.5	69.5	98.6	53.8	61	SE	E-SE	0.09	1.53	Nil	1.32
July ..	86.6	67.8	98.0	50.7	59	SE	E-SE	0.01	2.56	Nil	1.71
August ..	88.5	69.7	98.6	56.4	63	SE	NW-N	0.02	3.30	Nil	3.15
September ..	91.0	73.9	102.0	62.1	65	SE-S	NW-N	0.60	4.26	Nil	2.78
October ..	92.6	77.2	104.8	67.4	65	S	NW-N	1.91	13.34	Nil	3.74
November ..	93.2	78.2	103.3	66.8	68	W-S	NW-N	4.32	15.72	0.40	4.73
December ..	92.0	78.1	102.0	65.0	73	NW-S	NW-N	8.57	22.94	0.98	7.87
Year ..	90.3	74.5	104.8	50.7	68	SE	NW	(d) 58.68	28.23	Nil	11.67
ALICE SPRINGS											
January ..	95.3	69.8	(c) 116.0	(c) 50.0	31	E-SE	SE	1.74	(c) 11.06	(c) Nil	(c) 4.20
February ..	94.7	68.3	114.0	47.3	34	E-SE	SE	1.32	9.28	Nil	4.15
March ..	90.1	62.8	113.0	39.0	36	E-SE	SE	1.09	8.95	Nil	5.79
April ..	81.3	53.8	102.8	35.4	40	E	SE	0.35	4.61	Nil	2.84
May ..	73.3	46.0	101.0	27.0	47	SE	SE	0.60	4.28	Nil	1.87
June ..	67.1	41.2	87.0	22.0	54	E-SE	SE	0.52	2.92	Nil	1.99
July ..	66.9	38.9	88.0	19.0	49	W	SE	0.29	4.17	Nil	2.17
August ..	72.5	43.2	96.4	25.0	39	SE	SE	0.31	6.22	Nil	2.70
September ..	80.1	49.2	99.7	30.0	31	E-SE	SE	0.28	3.53	Nil	1.86
October ..	87.6	58.5	113.1	36.4	27	E-SE	SE	0.71	4.54	Nil	2.38
November ..	91.7	64.0	115.0	40.0	27	E	SE	1.15	5.46	Nil	2.66
December ..	94.7	68.2	117.0	46.0	29	E	SE	1.53	11.34	Nil	4.66
Year ..	82.9	55.3	117.0	19.0	37	E	SE	(d) 9.93	11.34	Nil	5.79
TENNANT CREEK POST OFFICE											
January ..	98.5	75.9	115.0	60.3	42	E	E	4.04	15.35	Nil	7.35
February ..	96.8	74.5	110.7	52.0	48	E	E	3.54	14.95	Nil	9.22
March ..	94.5	72.1	111.0	53.5	41	E	E	2.08	16.95	Nil	4.62
April ..	88.8	66.1	104.0	50.0	34	E	E	0.35	7.73	Nil	2.27
May ..	81.7	59.0	100.0	41.2	37	E	E	0.21	6.79	Nil	2.73
June ..	76.0	53.3	93.6	37.0	42	E-SE	E-SE	0.35	2.75	Nil	1.71
July ..	75.4	51.1	92.0	36.4	38	E	E-SE	0.25	3.71	Nil	1.32
August ..	81.3	54.2	96.0	37.0	31	E	E	0.06	3.28	Nil	0.58
September ..	88.6	60.7	102.0	42.0	28	E	E-SE	0.11	2.79	Nil	1.04
October ..	95.1	67.9	109.0	51.0	28	E	E	0.40	3.06	Nil	1.42
November ..	98.3	72.7	111.6	56.0	31	E	E	1.07	4.16	Nil	2.96
December ..	99.8	75.5	112.8	53.0	36	E	E-N	1.39	8.63	Nil	3.53
Year ..	89.6	65.2	115.0	36.4	36	E	E	(d) 13.85	16.95	Nil	9.22

(a) Years 1882-1941 at Post Office, 1942-1970 at Aerodrome; sites not strictly comparable.
1938 at Post Office.

(c) Highest or lowest recorded at either Post Office or Aerodrome.

(b) 1882 to
(d) Total.

TABLE 45.—CLIMATOLOGICAL DATA FOR SELECTED STATIONS
NORTHERN TERRITORY—*continued*

Month	Mean temperature ° F.		Extreme shade temperature ° F.		Mean relative humidity at 9 a.m. (%)	Prevailing direction of wind		Rainfall (inches)			
	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.		9 a.m.	3 p.m.	Mean monthly	Greatest monthly	Least monthly	Greatest in one day
KATHERINE POST OFFICE											
January	94.8	74.6	106.0	65.0	81	NW	NW-SE	9.14	27.74	2.76	9.20
February	94.1	74.3	105.0	56.0	85	NW	NW	7.07	19.28	0.40	9.02
March	95.2	72.8	104.0	55.0	80	SE	SE	5.89	25.48	Nil	5.08
April	93.4	68.3	104.0	51.0	65	SE	SE	0.78	8.38	Nil	4.04
May	90.5	62.3	100.0	44.9	60	SE	SE	0.27	2.43	Nil	2.43
June	86.3	57.3	97.0	38.2	58	SE	SE	0.12	2.13	Nil	1.12
July	87.1	56.6	96.0	37.0	57	SE	SE	0.03	1.89	Nil	1.33
August	90.2	58.8	102.0	40.0	52	SE	SE	0.01	0.80	Nil	0.80
September	96.0	66.7	105.5	47.0	53	SE	SE	0.16	3.58	Nil	1.53
October	100.7	74.9	108.0	52.3	59	N	SE	1.15	5.85	Nil	3.16
November	100.8	76.4	114.0	61.0	65	N	N	3.02	14.00	0.05	4.79
December	97.7	76.1	110.0	63.0	72	N	N-SE	7.81	29.61	1.39	4.83
Year	93.9	68.3	114.0	37.0	66	SE	SE	(a)35.45	29.61	Nil	9.20

DAILY WATERS

		(b)	(b)			(b)	(b)	(b)
January ..	97.5	75.6	113.0	61.2	63	N	NW-SE	6.77
February ..	96.6	74.4	111.0	52.5	66	NW	NW-SE	5.11
March ..	94.9	72.6	110.3	55.2	62	SE	ENE-SE	4.24
April ..	93.2	67.1	106.2	49.0	51	SE	E-SE	0.94
May ..	88.0	61.0	101.0	43.0	47	SE	E-SE	0.27
June ..	84.0	56.9	97.8	34.3	48	SE	E-SE	0.14
July ..	83.9	54.0	98.0	30.2	42	SE	E-SE	0.03
August ..	89.1	56.4	102.4	39.0	41	SE	E-SE	0.03
September ..	95.6	63.9	108.1	41.2	38	SE	E	0.12
October ..	100.7	71.0	112.0	48.3	40	N-SE	N-SE	0.68
November ..	102.1	74.8	113.0	56.5	45	N	N-E	2.41
December ..	101.1	75.9	116.1	58.3	54	N	N-NE	3.98
Year ..	93.9	67.0	116.1	30.2	50	SE	SE	(a)24.72

(a) Total. (b) Highest or lowest recorded at either Post Office or Aerodrome.

NOTE. Extremes of temperature and rainfall are at end of December 1971. Unless otherwise indicated, other figures are based on standard thirty-years normals (1911-1940).

TABLE 46.—MONTHLY RAINFALL AT SELECTED STATIONS: NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1965 TO 1971

(Inches)

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
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DARWIN AERODROME

1965	5.35	5.22	23.42	0.08	0.56	0.01	0.85	0.19	2.55	22.94	61.17
1966	17.04	10.39	5.13	1.54	0.03	0.04	..	0.15	0.07	3.35	4.65	11.53	53.92
1967	17.10	25.26	11.39	1.17	1.46	..	..	..	..	0.24	3.23	4.20	64.05
1968	21.57	26.50	8.94	3.80	11.76	..	0.37	0.22	0.52	2.74	2.24	4.82	83.48
1969	14.72	32.07	13.62	0.52	0.12	..	0.20	..	0.74	6.72	1.61	6.31	76.63
1970	8.67	12.30	4.90	1.31	0.75	..	..	..	0.69	6.66	5.12	7.79	48.19
1971	15.30	11.74	18.57	7.35	1.13	..	..	..	0.82	3.14	7.54	12.05	77.64

ALICE SPRINGS AERODROME

1965	..	..	0.47	..	..	0.17	..	0.32	0.02	0.25	0.40	1.60	3.23
1966	7.18	0.28	..	..	0.39	2.17	0.01	2.50	..	1.45	0.71	0.63	15.32
1967	0.28	6.10	0.87	..	1.49	0.09	..	..	..	0.04	0.11	0.31	9.29
1968	3.03	0.90	0.95	1.53	2.67	0.38	2.40	0.47	1.30	0.85	1.87	1.89	18.24
1969	1.14	1.79	1.05	0.01	0.13	0.15	1.79	0.01	..	0.26	0.52	0.41	7.25
1970	..	0.56	0.34	2.00	0.43	..	..	0.01	0.47	0.15	0.73	2.20	6.89
1971	0.02	0.01	0.54	0.56	..	0.46	0.31	0.49	0.14	..	1.55	0.78	4.86

TENNANT CREEK POST OFFICE

1965	0.67	0.04	11.37	..	..	0.06	..	0.08	..	0.14	0.14	2.68	15.18
1966	6.84	0.31	0.38	..	0.13	0.10	..	0.79	0.35	1.16	1.97	1.30	13.33
1967	0.60	12.48	6.03	..	..	..	..	..	..	0.28	0.14	2.58	22.11
1968	4.95	4.92	1.00	0.18	6.79	..	1.63	0.05	0.02	..	0.07	1.72	21.33
1969	0.58	3.46	2.06	..	0.04	..	0.17	..	..	1.72	0.43	2.55	11.01
1970	0.66	0.41	1.93	0.95	0.03	..	..	..	0.45	0.37	0.94	1.68	7.42
1971a	0.37	0.31	2.23	1.95	0.01	0.06	0.39	0.25	0.03	0.47	2.30	7.49	15.86

(a) Observations at Meteorological Office.

KATHERINE POST OFFICE

1965	3.86	1.06	8.71	..	0.57	..	..	..	..	1.19	0.17	6.96	22.52
1966	9.49	8.89	1.90	..	0.06	..	..	..	1.14	1.29	5.52	5.20	33.49
1967	8.18	15.76	8.56	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4.08	6.10	42.68
1968	14.45	17.46	6.91	0.29	1.59	..	1.89	..	0.06	0.12	3.39	4.29	50.45
1969	8.68	16.95	6.20	..	..	0.07	..	..	0.08	3.43	0.17	10.48	46.04
1970	2.97	5.22	0.46	2.71	0.02	..	..	..	0.02	0.57	6.28	2.29	20.54
1971	6.42	10.61	12.17	3.50	0.17	..	..	0.45	0.94	1.11	3.45	10.93	49.75

DALY WATERS AERODROME

1965	3.50	1.15	9.88	..	0.31	..	..	..	..	..	0.13	4.12	19.09
1966	10.22	6.55	0.90	..	..	0.01	..	0.02	0.06	1.75	1.25	4.19	25.04
1967	2.93	20.35	6.27	0.41	..	..	..	..	..	..	0.48	2.58	33.02
1968	8.86	11.99	3.58	0.36	2.65	..	2.24	..	..	..	1.03	2.98	33.69
1969	3.86	10.28	1.93	..	..	0.09	0.01	..	..	1.99	0.67	3.59	22.42
1970	1.92	8.83	2.61	0.61	(a)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
1971b	2.07	6.24	1.39	1.68	0.09	..	..	..	0.61	0.63	5.61	4.78	23.10

(a) Observations ceased.

(b) Observations began at Daly Waters Post Office.

TABLE 47.—LAND TENURE: NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1967 TO 1971
(’000 Acres)

Tenure	At 30 June—				
	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971
Freehold	319	319	318	315	313
Leasehold	178,652	180,264	184,996	189,034	191,579
Held under licence	13,092	11,331	7,970	7,999	7,557
Reserved	60,974	60,988	61,124	62,217	62,348
Unoccupied and not reserved	79,942	80,077	78,571	73,414	71,182
TOTAL	332,979	332,979	332,979	332,979	332,979

TABLE 48.—AREA OF ABORIGINAL RESERVES: NORTHERN TERRITORY
30 JUNE 1971(a)

Reserve	Area	Reserve	Area
	Sq miles		Sq miles
Arnhem Land(b)	37,167	Yuendumu	850
Daly River	5,200	R1028(c)	44,700
Bathurst Island	800	Jay Creek	116
Melville Island	2,200	Larrakeyah	14
Hooker Creek	845	Woolwonga	162
Beswick	1,315	Wagait	555
Darwin (Bagot)	57 acres	Warrabri	170
Amoonguna	2	TOTAL AREA	94,196

(a) Data supplied by the Department of the Interior. (b) Arnhem Land Reserve includes former Groote Eylandt Reserve. (c) Comprises areas locally designated Lake Mackay Reserve, Haasta Bluff Reserve and Petermanns Reserve.

TABLE 49.—RURAL HOLDINGS: NUMBER, AREA AND UTILISATION
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1966-67 TO 1970-71

	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71
Number	304	305	317	322	384
Area—Used for crops(a) '000 acres	2	(b) 1	(b) 2	(b) 2	7
Balance of holdings '000 acres	170,016	174,384	177,940	182,114	184,936
TOTAL AREA .. '000 acres	170,018	174,385	177,942	182,116	184,943

(a) Excludes rice prior to 1967-68, for which details are not available for publication; see Table 54 for details of other crops. (b) Excludes sorghum, for which details are not available for publication.

**TABLE 50.—RURAL HOLDINGS: NUMBER AND AREA, DISTRICTS
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1966-67 TO 1970-71**

Year			Darwin and Gulf	Victoria River	Parkly Tableland	Alice Springs	Total
NUMBER OF RURAL HOLDINGS							
1966-67	..	..	156	25	30	93	304
1967-68	..	..	150	26	30	99	305
1968-69	..	..	153	28	33	103	317
1969-70	..	..	155	29	34	104	322
1970-71p	..	..	209	29	26	120	384
AREA OF RURAL HOLDINGS (^{'000} acres)							
1966-67	..	..	39,065	32,591	40,471	57,890	170,018
1967-68	..	..	39,847	33,438	40,577	60,523	174,385
1968-69	..	..	39,359	34,776	42,480	61,328	177,942
1969-70	..	..	39,513	36,879	44,310	61,415	182,116
1970-71p	..	..	41,821	36,753	32,901	73,468	184,943

**TABLE 51.—LIVESTOCK NUMBERS: NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1967 TO 1971
(^{'000})**

Type			30 June—				
			1967	1968	1969	1970(a)	1971(a)
Cattle ..	..	..	1,097	1,130	(a) 1,185	1,179	1,145
Horses ..	..	..	38	38	39	41	41
Sheep ..	..	..	8	9	7	8	9
Pigs ..	..	..	3	2	(a) 2	4	3

(a) As at 31 March.

**TABLE 52.—CATTLE NUMBERS: DISTRICTS, NORTHERN TERRITORY
1967 TO 1971
(^{'000})**

District			30 June—				
			1967	1968	1969(a)	1970(a)	1971(a)
Darwin and Gulf	..	..	207	201	179	201	211
Victoria River	..	..	301	331	347	359	351
Parkly Tableland	..	..	439	425	440	400	307
Alice Springs	..	..	149	173	219	219	277
TOTAL	..	..	1,097	1,130	1,185	1,179	1,145

(a) As at 31 March.

**TABLE 53.—INTERSTATE AND OVERSEAS EXPORTS OF CATTLE^(a)
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1966-67 TO 1970-71**
(*000)

Destination	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71
Interstate—					
Queensland	50	67	66	81	69
South Australia ..	21	26	68	76	96
Western Australia ..	4	3	6	20	9
Total	76	95	140	177	174
Overseas .. ..	..	..	..	..	..
GRAND TOTAL ..	76	95	140	177	174

(a) As recorded by the Primary Industries Branch, Alice Springs.

**TABLE 54.—AREA OF CROPS^(a): NORTHERN TERRITORY
1966-67 TO 1970-71**
(Acres)

Crop	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71
Fruit—Bananas ..	29	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)
Pineapples	17	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)
Other	87	98	90	71	120
Total	133	98	90	71	120
Peanuts	(b)	12	(b)	(b)	58
Sorghum for grain ..	527	(c)	(c)	(c)	3,234
Vegetables for human consumption ..	218	189	255	277	253
Other crops^(d) ..	2,747	5,701	6,834	8,171	10,328
GRAND TOTAL ..	3,625	6,000	7,179	8,519	13,993

(a) Excludes rice prior to 1967-68, for which details are not available for publication. (b) Not available for publication, included in Other. (c) Not available for publication, excluded from totals. (d) Principally fodder crops.

**TABLE 55.—FISHING AND PEARLING: NORTHERN TERRITORY
1966-67 TO 1970-71**

		1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71
General fisheries—						
Boats engaged ..	No.	60	53	(c) 110	82	127
Men employed ..	No.	133	123	(c) 573	437	542
Landed weight of fish catch	'000 lb	550	555	533	253	398
Gross value of fish ..	\$'000	73	92	96	51	80
Live weight of prawns ..	'000 lb	1	23	2,375	8,682	9,905
Gross value of prawns ..	\$'000	1	14	831	3,646	4,160
Pearl-shell fisheries(a)—						
Boats engaged ..	No.	3	3	3	2	2
Men employed ..	No.	36	36	40	33	25
Total take of pearl-shell ..	tons	16.6	4.8	..	7.0	11.0
Gross value of pearl-shell..	\$'000	7	(b)1	..	(b)4	(b)6

(a) Source: Department of Primary Industry. Excludes operations of Japanese pearling fleet. Season ended January of years shown. (b) Estimated. (c) Calendar year 1969.

**TABLE 56.—MINING AND QUARRYING: SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1964 TO 1968**
(Excluding uranium mining)

		1964	1965	1966	1967	1968
Number of mines and quarries ..	No.	84	67	80	74	58
Average No. of persons employed during whole year (incl. working proprietors) ..	..	585	688	814	1,006	1,132
Salaries and wages paid(a)(b) ..	\$'000	2,138	2,867	3,361	4,609	5,707
Total fuel, materials, etc., used ..	..	1,727	2,571	2,212	2,901	4,210
Value of output (at mine or quarry) ..	..	7,233	8,287	13,283	19,316	24,846
Value of production(c) ..	..	5,507	5,715	11,070	16,416	20,635
Value of additions and replacements to fixed assets(a) ..	..	2,866	5,677	7,282	5,195	7,756

(a) Excludes mines employing less than four persons. (b) Excludes drawings by working proprietors; the amounts are net after deducting value of explosives sold to employees. (c) Value of output less cost of power, fuel and light and other materials and stores used; depreciation and maintenance costs have not been deducted.

**TABLE 57.—MINING ESTABLISHMENTS: SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS,
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1968-69(a)**

Establishments operating during 1968-69 ..	..	..	No.	21
Persons employed(b) ..	..	..	No.	1,048
Wages and salaries ..	..	..	\$m	5.4
Sales, transfers out and other operating revenue ..	..	..	\$m	35.3
Stocks at 30 June—1968 ..	..	..	\$m	4.4
1969 ..	..	..	\$m	5.1
Purchases, transfers in and selected expenses ..	..	..	\$m	14.9
Value added(c) ..	..	..	\$m	21.1

(a) Direct comparisons with figures for previous years are not possible because of changes in the census units, the scope of the census and the items of data. (b) At end of June 1969. Includes working proprietors. (c) Sales, transfers out and other operating revenue plus increase (or less decrease) in the value of stocks, less purchases, transfers in and selected expenses.

NOTE. For further details see *Mining Establishments, Preliminary Bulletin* (Reference No. 10.48).

TABLE 58.—QUANTITIES OF MINERALS PRODUCED: NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1967 TO 1970-71(a)
(Excluding uranium)

Mineral	1967	1968	1968-69p	1969-70p (b)	1970-71 (b)
Metallic minerals—					
Bismuth concentrate tons	106	1,553	1,491	1,699	3,376
Copper ore, including cupreous ore for fertiliser	1,070	1,153	1,152	3,576	662
Copper concentrate	34,855	30,420	29,920	27,514	26,430
Copper precipitate	442	295	303	162	110
Gold bullion oz	59,999	89,974	82,055	87,748	97,631
Iron ore tons	313,838	827,181	907,803	1,023,008	1,234,977
Lead ore, concentrate, etc.	2,315	1,941	1,895	1,595	462
Manganese ore, metallurgical grade ..	364,535	581,529	670,418	627,684	679,227
Manganese ore, other grades	338	186	186	..	..
Tin concentrate tons	95	48	63	93	64
Tungsten (wolfram) concentrate	4	36	46	42	24
Zinc concentrate	3,956	3,562	3,072	2,007	400

(a) As from 1968-69, data collected on a year ended 30 June basis.
Territory Administration) statistics.

(b) Derived from Mines Branch (Northern

**TABLE 59.—CONTENTS OF METALLIC MINERALS PRODUCED
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1967 TO 1970-71(a)**
(Excluding uranium)

Contents of metallic minerals produced	1967	1968	1968-69p	1969-70p (b)	1970-71 (b)
Bismuth tons	11	180	173	188	213
Cadmium "	12	17	16	9	2
Copper	8,926	7,903	8,018	6,858	6,217
Gold f oz	76,739	126,610	115,401	123,840	128,257
Iron tons	200,680	518,362	568,208	644,499	766,556
Lead	1,345	1,240	1,166	932	249
Manganese	169,301	270,121	291,156	307,331	320,159
Manganese dioxide (MnO ₂)	207	118	118	..	..
Silver f oz	273,831	311,886	324,649	216,069	140,836
Tin tons	60	26	34	93	40
Tungstic oxide (WO ₃) units	270	1,768	2,100	930	998
Zinc tons	1,937	1,864	1,670	1,107	219

(a) As from 1968-69, data collected on a year ended 30 June basis.
Territory Administration) statistics.

(b) Derived from Mines Branch (Northern

**TABLE 60.—MINERAL EXPLORATION (OTHER THAN FOR PETROLEUM),
NORTHERN TERRITORY, PRIVATE EXPENDITURE(a) AND
EMPLOYMENT, 1966 TO 1970**

Expenditure and employment	Year ended 31 December			Year ended 30 June	
	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970
Expenditure (\$'000)—					
On salaries and wages(b) ..	}	n.a.	1,160	1,010	1,370
On materials and stores ..			526	492	537
On fixed assets (for exploration) ..			230	235	505
Payments to contractors(c)			1,389	2,296	1,458
Other (d)			851	858	1,372
Total Private Exploration ..	2,909	3,532	4,156	4,891	5,241
Employment(e) ('000 man weeks) ..	8.8	8.8	11.0	10.8	12.7

(a) Expenditure whether charged as working expenses or capitalised. (b) Salaries and wages and travelling and subsistence allowances paid to employees engaged in exploration. (c) Amounts paid to drilling contractors, geological consultants, technical advisors, etc., for exploration services. (d) Expenses such as office expenses attributable to exploration, map preparation, aerial surveys, etc. (e) The operator and his staff only: excludes contractors and their employees.

**TABLE 61.—PETROLEUM EXPLORATION, NORTHERN TERRITORY,
PRIVATE EXPENDITURE AND SOURCE OF FUNDS, 1965 TO 1969
(\$'000)**

Expenditure and source of funds	Year ended 31 December—				
	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969
Expenditure (a)—					
Geological	703	383	271	229	123
Geophysical	2,055	3,993	4,367	2,944	1,886
Drilling	4,149	2,996	2,748	4,056	7,153
Other	456	551	1,249	440	462
Total	7,363	7,922	8,634	7,670	9,625
Source of Funds—					
Private	6,206	6,558	6,978	6,222	7,064
Government(b)	1,157	1,365	1,657	1,448	2,561
TOTAL	7,363	7,922	8,634	7,670	9,625

(a) Excludes payments under the *Petroleum Search Subsidy Act 1959-1969*. (b) Payments under the *Petroleum Search Subsidy Act 1959-1969*.

NOTE. Figures compiled from data published by the Bureau of Mineral Resources, Geology and Geophysics.

**TABLE 62.—GROSS, LOCAL AND NET VALUE OF PRIMARY INDUSTRIES
(EXCLUDING MINING)(a): NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1970-71p
(\$'000)**

Industry	Gross value of production	Marketing costs	Local value of production	Value of materials used in process of production	Net value of production
Agriculture	690	n.a.	(b)690	n.a.	(b)690
Pastoral	22,039	3,403	18,636	n.a.	(c)18,636
Dairying	1,173	n.a.	(b)1,173	n.a.	(b)1,173
Poultry					
Total rural	23,903	n.a.	20,500	n.a.	(c)20,500
Forestry	53	n.a.	(b)53	n.a.	(b)53
Fishing	4,244	n.a.	(b)4,244	n.a.	(b)4,244
Hunting	36	n.a.	(b)36	n.a.	(b)36
Total forestry, fishing and hunting	4,333	n.a.	(b)4,333	n.a.	(b)4,333
TOTAL PRIMARY (EXCLUDING MINING)	28,236	n.a.	24,833	n.a.	(b)24,833

(a) For a description of terms, sources, methods of calculation and qualification associated with these estimates see the Bulletin: *Value of Production*. (b) Gross value of production. (c) Local value of production.

**TABLE 63.—NET VALUE OF PRIMARY PRODUCTION
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1966-67 TO 1970-71
(\$'000)**

Industry	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71p
Agriculture	354	653	857	896	(b)690
Pastoral	9,256	12,175	15,157	17,658	(c)18,636
Dairying	113	110	109	153	(b)1,173
Poultry	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	
Total rural industries	9,923	13,195	16,289	18,947	(c)20,500
Forestry (a)	73	42	42	53	53
Fishing	82	107	1,191	3,979	4,244
Hunting	79	52	47	39	36
Total forestry, fishing and hunting industries	234	201	1,280	4,071	4,333
TOTAL PRIMARY (EXCLUDING MINING)	10,157	13,396	17,569	23,018	24,833

(a) Not comparable with years prior to 1965-66 due to changes in method of valuation. (b) Gross value of production. (c) Local value of production.

TABLE 64.—FACTORIES: NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1963-64 TO 1967-68

For statistical purposes a 'factory' is defined as an establishment in which four or more persons are employed or where power (other than manual) is used in any manufacturing process.

	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	1966-67	1967-68
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Factories	139	174	185	187	188
Average number employed (including working proprietors)(a)—					
Males	978	1,098	1,182	1,308	1,380
Females	97	112	112	115	139
Total	1,075	1,210	1,294	1,423	1,519
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Salaries and wages paid (excluding drawings by working proprietors)—					
Males	2,628	3,298	3,666	4,146	4,721
Females	142	185	192	203	263
Total	2,770	3,483	3,859	4,349	4,983
Value of power, fuel, light, etc.(b), used	735	865	856	946	1,157
Value of materials(c) used	3,204	4,550	5,497	7,214	7,995
Value of production(d)	5,118	6,654	7,103	7,847	9,680
Value of output(e)	9,057	12,068	13,456	16,007	18,831
Depreciated or book values(f) at end of year—					
Land and buildings	4,586	5,668	6,100	6,482	8,150
Plant and machinery	6,046	6,103	5,953	6,825	6,696

(a) The aggregate of the average number of persons employed in each factory. Figures represent average employment over the whole year. (b) Includes water and lubricating oil. (c) Includes also containers, etc., tools replaced and repairs to plant. (d) Value added in process of manufacture (i.e. value of output less value of materials and power, fuel, light, etc., used). (e) Value of goods produced including amounts received for repair work and other work done. (f) Includes estimated value of rented premises and machinery.

TABLE 65.—MANUFACTURING ESTABLISHMENTS(a): NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1968-69

Establishments operating during 1968-69	No.	75
Persons employed(b)	No.	1,155
Wages and salaries	\$m	4.1
Sales, transfers out and other operating revenue	\$m	22.8
Stocks at 30 June—1968	\$m	2.0
1969	\$m	2.4
Purchases, transfers in and selected expenses	\$m	13.7
Value added(c)	\$m	9.4

(a) Figures derived from economic census conducted in 1968-69; direct comparisons with figures for previous years are not possible because of changes in the census units, the scope of the census and the items of data. For further details see *Manufacturing Establishments and Electricity and Gas Establishments, Preliminary Bulletin* (Reference No. 12.22). (b) At end of June 1969. Includes working proprietors. (c) Sales, transfers out and other operating revenue plus increase (or less decrease) in the value of stocks, less purchases, transfers in and selected expenses.

**TABLE 66.—NUMBER AND VALUE OF NEW HOUSES AND FLATS AND
VALUE OF OTHER NEW BUILDINGS(a): NORTHERN TERRITORY
1955-56 TO 1970-71**

Year	New houses and flats		Other new buildings	Total new buildings
	Number	Value \$'000	Value \$'000	Value \$'000
COMMENCED				
1955-56	341	2,828	1,772	4,600
1956-57	251	2,044	1,486	3,530
1957-58	311	2,748	1,770	4,518
1958-59	334	2,710	1,764	4,474
1959-60	426	3,192	2,364	5,556
1960-61	415	3,456	5,412	8,868
1961-62	489	4,044	3,920	7,964
1962-63	382	3,484	4,762	8,246
1963-64	558	5,010	5,154	10,164
1964-65	753	7,312	5,828	13,140
1965-66	630	6,250	9,155	15,405
1966-67	874	8,841	8,966	17,807
1967-68	1,068	11,558	14,138	25,696
1968-69	1,411	17,449	12,452	29,901
1969-70	1,200	14,882	29,143	44,025
1970-71	1,506	20,675	36,916	57,593
COMPLETED				
1955-56	312	2,490	1,380	3,870
1956-57	328	2,756	1,814	4,570
1957-58	275	2,402	1,818	4,220
1958-59	356	3,032	2,144	5,176
1959-60	341	2,764	2,358	5,122
1960-61	403	3,198	3,038	6,236
1961-62	396	3,564	3,442	7,006
1962-63	491	4,150	4,722	8,872
1963-64	336	3,292	4,670	7,962
1964-65	610	5,464	6,320	11,784
1965-66	782	7,618	4,447	12,065
1966-67	484	5,183	8,060	13,243
1967-68	910	9,523	10,772	20,295
1968-69	1,209	13,162	12,764	25,926
1969-70	1,425	18,116	25,290	43,406
1970-71	1,222	16,624	17,382	34,006

For footnote see end of table.

TABLE 66.—NUMBER AND VALUE OF NEW HOUSES AND FLATS AND
VALUE OF OTHER NEW BUILDINGS(a): NORTHERN TERRITORY
1955-56 TO 1970-71—*continued*

Year	New houses and flats		Other new buildings Value \$'000	Total new buildings Value \$'000
	Number	Value \$'000		
UNDER CONSTRUCTION AT END OF YEAR				
1955-56	240	2,038	1,896	3,934
1956-57	163	1,392	1,718	3,110
1957-58	199	1,718	1,772	3,490
1958-59	177	1,508	1,934	3,442
1959-60	262	2,016	1,980	3,996
1960-61	274	2,444	4,376	6,820
1961-62	367	2,960	4,896	7,856
1962-63	258	2,386	4,968	7,354
1963-64	480	4,180	5,590	9,770
1964-65	623	5,962	5,292	11,254
1965-66	471	4,809	10,007	14,816
1966-67	861	8,614	11,197	19,811
1967-68	1,019	10,823	14,382	25,205
1968-69	1,221	15,390	13,731	29,121
1969-70	941	12,092	17,576	29,668
1970-71	1,190	15,795	37,176	52,971

WORK DONE DURING YEAR(b)

1958-59	2,928	2,472	5,400
1959-60	3,018	2,240	5,258
1960-61	3,388	4,034	7,422
1961-62	3,736	4,152	7,888
1962-63	3,938	3,906	7,844
1963-64	3,934	5,498	9,432
1964-65	6,102	5,676	11,778
1965-66	6,855	6,894	13,749
1966-67	7,454	9,181	16,635
1967-68	10,909	11,601	22,510
1968-69	15,087	12,659	27,746
1969-70	17,043	26,514	43,557
1970-71	20,463	26,984	47,446

(a) The statistics shown are based on returns received from government authorities, contractors and owner-builders who undertake the erection of new buildings. Details obtained from government authorities and building contractors refer to all areas. Details for owner-builders cover only proclaimed health areas. Figures for houses exclude temporary dwellings, dwellings attached to other buildings, sheds, huts, etc. Each flat is counted as an individual living unit. Minor additions and alterations, renovations and repairs are excluded. Prior to 1 July 1966, additions of \$10,000 and over to existing buildings are included with new buildings. From 1 July 1966, alterations and/or additions of \$10,000 and over are included with new buildings. The values of new buildings exclude the value of land and represent the estimated value of buildings on completion. (b) The values shown represent the estimated value of work carried out on buildings during the year. For any building the sum of these values obtained during its construction equals the value of the building on completion.

**TABLE 67.—VALUE OF NEW BUILDINGS, BY TYPE OF BUILDING(a)
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1966-67 TO 1970-71**

(\$'000)

Type of building	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71
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COMMENCED

Houses and flats	8,841	11,558	17,449	14,882	20,675
Hotels, hostels, etc.	1,413	1,929	1,181	3,387	7,767
Shops	356	449	1,198	979	2,284
Factories	862	909	1,504	5,426	1,666
Offices	792	2,674	3,065	2,286	4,127
Other business premises	2,161	1,061	1,432	3,621	2,095
Education	620	2,991	1,479	4,756	7,603
Religion	84	277	45	70	355
Health	399	761	86	318	4,045
Entertainment and recreation	50	215	373	467	1,384
Miscellaneous	2,229	2,872	2,089	7,834	5,590
TOTAL	17,807	25,696	29,901	44,025	57,593

COMPLETED

Houses and flats	5,183	9,523	13,162	18,116	16,624
Hotels, hostels, etc.	1,974	1,010	2,257	2,051	1,508
Shops	181	484	480	1,300	849
Factories	762	989	1,508	2,880	4,153
Offices	329	1,120	1,949	3,973	1,808
Other business premises	397	2,045	1,877	1,557	3,158
Education	1,240	1,021	994	5,290	3,250
Religion	172	154	240	..	162
Health	1,082	2,829	145	924	297
Entertainment and recreation	56	228	214	351	486
Miscellaneous	1,867	892	3,100	6,967	1,715
TOTAL	13,243	20,295	25,926	43,406	34,006

(a) See footnote (a) to Table 66.

TABLE 67.—VALUE OF NEW BUILDINGS, BY TYPE OF BUILDING(a)
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1966-67 TO 1970-71—continued
(\$'000)

Type of building	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71
UNDER CONSTRUCTION AT END OF YEAR					
Houses and flats	8,614	10,823	15,390	12,092	15,795
Hotels, hostels, etc	885	1,847	788	2,137	8,555
Shops	331	331	1,093	740	2,176
Factories	447	502	422	4,010	1,734
Offices	1,891	3,244	4,476	2,868	5,176
Other business premises	1,968	1,104	758	2,523	1,557
Education	960	2,680	3,418	2,885	7,208
Religion	77	200	..	90	303
Health	2,721	702	605	..	3,744
Entertainment and recreation	272	159	424	395	1,270
Miscellaneous	1,645	3,613	1,747	1,927	5,452
TOTAL	19,811	25,205	29,121	29,668	52,971

WORK DONE DURING YEAR(b)

Houses and flats	7,454	10,909	15,087	17,043	20,463
Hotels, hostels, etc.	1,816	1,425	1,809	2,484	5,599
Shops	275	377	901	1,082	1,577
Factories	679	1,016	1,384	4,859	2,995
Offices	912	1,953	2,368	3,126	3,083
Other business premises	1,019	2,247	1,417	1,867	3,813
Education	734	1,124	1,485	5,054	4,534
Religion	146	174	158	36	233
Health	1,863	794	452	495	1,023
Entertainment and recreation	69	199	290	482	416
Miscellaneous	1,668	2,292	2,395	7,032	3,712
TOTAL	16,635	22,510	27,746	43,557	47,446

(a), (b) See footnotes (a) and (b) to Table 66.

TABLE 68.—NUMBER OF NEW HOUSES AND FLATS FOR GOVERNMENT AUTHORITIES AND PRIVATE OWNERSHIP(a): NORTHERN TERRITORY 1960-61 TO 1970-71

Year				Built by or for government authorities(b)	Contract-built for private persons	Owner-built(c)	Total
COMMENCED							
1960-61	..	..	..	219	102	94	415
1961-62	..	..	..	295	116	78	489
1962-63	..	..	..	253	82	47	382
1963-64	..	..	..	408	104	46	558
1964-65	..	..	..	550	119	84	753
1965-66	..	..	..	622	77	82	630
1966-67	..	..	..	715	106	146	874
1967-68	..	..	..	818	173	180	1,068
1968-69	..	..	..	659	263	330	1,411
1969-70	..	..	..	905	295	246	1,200
1970-71	..	..	..		352	249	1,506
COMPLETED							
1960-61	..	..	..	178	108	117	403
1961-62	..	..	..	252	85	59	396
1962-63	..	..	..	325	104	62	491
1963-64	..	..	..	181	93	62	336
1964-65	..	..	..	440	108	62	610
1965-66	..	..	..	626	95	61	782
1966-67	..	..	..	246	88	150	484
1967-68	..	..	..	613	160	137	910
1968-69	..	..	..	799	219	191	1,209
1969-70	..	..	..	900	289	236	1,425
1970-71	..	..	..	711	337	174	1,222
UNDER CONSTRUCTION AT END OF YEAR							
1960-61	..	..	..	160	42	72	274
1961-62	..	..	..	203	73	91	367
1962-63	..	..	..	131	51	76	258
1963-64	..	..	..	358	62	60	480
1964-65	..	..	..	468	73	82	623
1965-66	..	..	..	313	55	103	471
1966-67	..	..	..	689	73	99	861
1967-68	..	..	..	791	86	142	1,019
1968-69	..	..	..	810	130	281	1,221
1969-70	..	..	..	564	143	234	941
1970-71	..	..	..	751	154	285	1,190

(a) See footnote (a) to Table 66. (b) Includes houses and flats erected by or for government authorities for their own use, for rental, or for sale after completion. Houses erected for particular persons under government-sponsored home building schemes or with government financial assistance are classified as "Private". (c) For the purposes of this table, an "Owner-built" house is one erected or being erected by the owner or under the owner's direction without the services of a contractor who is responsible for the whole job.

**TABLE 69.—NUMBER OF NEW HOUSES AND FLATS COMPLETED(a)
GREATER DARWIN, ALICE SPRINGS AND OTHER RECORDED AREAS
1960-61 TO 1970-71**

Year	Darwin(b)	Alice Springs	Other recorded areas	Total
1960-61	281	85	37	403
1961-62	295	85	16	396
1962-63	358	96	37	491
1963-64	217	70	49	336
1964-65	439	107	64	610
1965-66	513	67	202	782
1966-67	273	54	157	484
1967-68	563	157	190	910
1968-69	905	199	105	1,209
1969-70	1,050	247	128	1,425
1970-71	685	263	274	1,222

(a) See footnote (a), to Table 66. (b) Area as defined in the Schedule to the *Darwin Acquisition Act 1945*.

**TABLE 70.—NUMBER OF PERSONS WORKING ON JOBS CARRIED OUT BY
BUILDERS OF NEW BUILDINGS(a): NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1966 TO 1971
(Excluding persons working on owner-built houses)**

Classification	End of June—					
	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971
Contractors	76	65	92	79	79	66
Sub-contractors ..	212	190	339	354	290	346
Wage earners	575	799	1,135	1,229	1,299	2,231
TOTAL	863	1,054	1,566	1,662	1,668	2,643
Carpenters	296	265	433	371	476	731
Bricklayers	100	90	141	176	134	176
Painters	63	82	114	149	134	174
Electricians	63	71	111	112	89	122
Plumbers	92	93	140	164	126	174
Builders' labourers ..	144	224	352	330	344	477
Other	105	229	275	360	365	789
TOTAL	863	1,054	1,566	1,662	1,668	2,643
New houses and flats ..	490	490	759	937	667	1,300
Repairs and maintenance ..	5	1	14	20	45	69
Other building work ..	368	563	793	705	956	1,274
TOTAL	863	1,054	1,566	1,662	1,668	2,643

(a) Figures relate to persons working on the jobs of contractors who undertake the erection of new buildings and government instrumentalities which erect new buildings on their own account. They include persons engaged on alterations, additions, repairs and maintenance when these jobs are undertaken by such contractors and instrumentalities. The figures include working principals and their employees, men working as or for sub-contractors, and men temporarily laid off on account of weather, but exclude persons working on owner-built houses.

TABLE 71.—NUMBER OF RETAIL ESTABLISHMENTS, BY TYPE OF BUSINESS(a): NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1961-62 AND 1963-64 TO 1967-68

Type of business	1961-62	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	1966-67	1967-68
Food stores—						
Grocers	60	53	55	58	58	56
Butchers	13	13	13	14	15	16
Fruiterers and bakers ..	13	14	13	13	14	15
Confectioners and milk bars, cafés, fishmongers, poulterers, and other food stores ..	33	43	47	50	51	57
Hotels, tobacconists, etc.—						
Hotels, wine saloons, etc. ..	31	35	38	43	47	52
Tobacconists, tobacconist and hairdressers	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)
Department stores, clothiers, drapers, etc.—						
Department stores .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
Clothiers and drapers	41	46	50	48	52	51
Footwear stores	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)
Hardware, electrical goods, furni- ture stores, etc.—						
Domestic hardware stores ..	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	8	8
Electrical goods, radios and musical instruments stores	14	17	14	15	16	18
Furniture and floor coverings stores	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)
Other goods stores—						
Chemists	7	9	9	9	10	10
Newsagents and booksellers ..	10	12	10	10	10	11
Other types of business(c) ..	20	29	30	33	38	45
Total (excluding motor vehicle dealers, garages and service stations, etc.)	257	288	295	314	332	354
Motor vehicle dealers, garages and service stations, etc. . . .	52	62	64	64	72	86
GRAND TOTAL	309	350	359	378	404	440

(a) Figures for each year refer to establishments with total retail sales of \$1,000 or more. (b) Not available for publication. (c) Includes sports goods stores, watchmakers and jewellers, cycle stores, florists and nurserymen, etc.

TABLE 72.—VALUE OF RETAIL SALES OF GOODS, BY TYPE OF BUSINESS(a)(b): NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1961-62 AND 1963-64 TO 1967-68
(8'000)

Type of business	1961-62	1963-64	1964-65	1965-66	1966-67	1967-68
Food stores—						
Grocers	6,156	7,728	8,004	9,600	11,486	13,258
Butchers	1,012	1,254	1,526	1,639	2,162	2,754
Fruiters and bakers	672	850	682	688	701	709
Confectioners and milk bars, cafés, fishmongers, poulterers, and other food stores	530	882	1,152	1,232	1,455	1,772
Hotels, tobacconists, etc.—						
Hotels, wine saloons, etc.	3,100	3,708	4,073	4,611	4,949	5,918
Tobacconists, tobacconist and hairdressers	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
Department stores, clothiers, drapers, etc.—						
Department stores .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
Clothiers and drapers	1,586	1,650	1,994	2,078	2,401	2,585
Footwear stores	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
Hardware, electrical goods, furniture stores, etc.—						
Domestic hardware stores	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	664	867
Electrical goods, radios and musical instruments stores	712	1,056	1,200	1,078	1,278	1,705
Furniture and floor coverings stores	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
Other goods stores—						
Chemists	522	658	697	786	876	1,052
Newsagents and booksellers	366	550	514	587	625	850
Other types of business(d)	568	866	948	1,183	1,450	1,876
Total (excluding motor vehicle dealers, garages and service stations, etc.)	15,950	19,624	21,836	24,882	28,852	34,340
Motor vehicle dealers, garages and service stations, etc.	5,720	8,232	8,808	9,448	11,159	16,573
GRAND TOTAL	21,670	27,856	30,644	34,330	40,011	50,913

(a) Figures for each year refer to establishments with total retail sales of \$1,000 or more. (b) These figures refer to the total value of all commodities sold by retail by establishments classified to the types of business shown. (c) Not available for publication. (d) Includes sports goods stores, watchmakers and jewellers, cycle stores, florists and nurserymen, etc.

TABLE 73.—RETAIL AND SELECTED SERVICE ESTABLISHMENTS SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS, BY INDUSTRY GROUP: NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1968-69

Industry group	Number of establishments operating during 1968-69	Persons employed(a)			Wages and salaries	Sales and other operating revenue	Stocks at 30 June		Purchases, transfers in and selected expenses	Value added
		Males	Females	Total			1968	1969		
		No.	No.	No.	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m	\$m
Department, variety and general stores	137	377	549	926	1.8	24.1	1.5	1.8	19.8	4.6
Food stores	19	21	10	31	(b)	0.3	(b)	(b)	0.2	0.1
Bread and milk vendors	73	69	184	253	0.4	4.4	1.0	1.2	3.3	1.3
Clothing, fabrics and furniture stores	38	84	95	179	0.4	3.5	0.6	0.7	2.6	1.0
Household appliance and hardware stores	118	596	187	783	2.3	21.6	2.0	2.8	16.8	6.6
Motor vehicle dealers, petrol and tyre retailers	56	79	159	238	0.4	3.9	0.6	0.8	2.9	1.2
Other retailers										
Total retail establishments	441	1,226	1,184	2,410	5.2	57.9	5.9	7.2	45.5	13.7
Restaurants and licensed hotels	84	339	561	900	1.8	10.1	0.3	0.5	6.1	4.2
Licensed clubs	21	76	54	130	0.3	2.0	0.1	0.1	1.4	0.6
Laundries and dry cleaners	7	10	39	49	0.1	0.2	(b)	(b)	(b)	0.2
Hairdressing and beauty salons	28	15	45	60	0.1	0.2	(b)	(b)	(b)	0.2
Total selected service establishments	140	440	699	1,139	2.3	12.6	0.4	0.6	7.7	5.1
Total retail and selected service establishments	581	1,666	1,883	3,549	7.5	70.5	6.3	7.8	53.2	18.8

(a) At end of June 1969; includes working proprietors and unpaid helpers working at least 15 hours during the week. (b) Less than \$50,000.

Note. Direct comparisons with figures from previous retail censuses and from retail surveys are not possible due to changes in units, scope and items of data. For further details see *Retail Establishments and Selected Service Establishments, Preliminary Bulletin* (Reference No. 11.15).

TABLE 74.—WHOLESALE ESTABLISHMENTS, SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS, BY BROAD TYPE OF OPERATION: NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1968-69

Broad type of operation	Number of wholesale establishments operating during 1968-1969	Persons employed (a)			Wages and salaries	Sales on own account, transfers out and other operating revenue	Stocks at 30 June		Purchases, transfers in and selected expenses	Value added (b)	Sales or purchases on commission
		Males	Females	Total			1968	1969			
	No.	No.	No.	No.	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
Primary produce dealers or agents ..	8	37	7	44	139	1,935	140	173	1,553	415	7,408
Wholesale merchants—											
Import and/or export merchants ..	5	32	11	43	94	1,376	267	385	1,167	327	10
Other wholesale merchants ..	59	243	141	384	1,094	20,608	2,982	3,210	17,395	3,441	1,198
Manufacturers' sales branches holding stocks ..	8	41	8	49	191	1,503	118	240	792	833	389
Commission agents or brokers ..	14	62	20	82	246	1,380	138	152	902	492	3,453
Petroleum distributors ..	10	115	5	120	563	2,253	..	..	893	1,360	13,788
Repairers and lessors of machinery and equipment ..	3	22	1	23	44	204	3	11	88	124	..
<i>Total wholesale trade</i> ..	107	552	193	745	2,371	29,259	3,648	4,171	22,790	6,992	26,246

(a) At the end of June 1969. Includes working proprietors. (b) Sales on own account, transfers out and other operating revenue, plus increase (or less decrease) in the value of stocks, less purchases, transfers in and selected expenses.

NOTE: For further details see *Wholesale Establishments, Preliminary Bulletin* (Reference No. 11.59).

TABLE 75.—OVERSEAS TRADE: TOTAL RECORDED EXPORTS AND IMPORTS, BY COMMODITY DIVISION, NORTHERN TERRITORY 1969-70 AND 1970-71

(\$ f.o.b. port of shipment)

Section and division						Exports		Imports	
						1969-70	1970-71	1969-70	1970-71
0	FOOD AND LIVE ANIMALS—								
00	Live animals						666		
01	Meat and meat preparations					4,903,561	5,331,738	15	442
02	Dairy products and eggs					40	2,254	20	107
03	Fish and fish preparations					4,917,420	5,628,113	4,612	5,007
04	Cereals and cereal preparations					119,498	3,568	10,140	8,293
05	Fruit and vegetables					690	12	7,755	7,000
06	Sugar, sugar preparations and honey					56			5
07	Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices and manufactures thereof						1,794	649	352
08	Feeding stuff for animals (not including unmilled cereals)					8,000	46,309		10,132
09	Miscellaneous preparations chiefly for food					206,779	321,909	2,952	3,236
	Total Section 0					10,156,044	11,335,863	26,143	34,574
1	BEVERAGES AND TOBACCO—								
11	Beverages					598	2,472	3,951	8,144
12	Tobacco and tobacco manufactures					7,589	31,589	919	
	Total Section 1					8,187	34,061	4,870	8,144
2	CRUDE MATERIALS, INEDIBLE, EXCEPT FUELS—								
21	Hides, skins and fur skins, undressed					279,800	182,720		
22	Oil-seeds, oil nuts and oil kernels								38
23	Crude rubber (including synthetic and reclaimed)								
24	Wood, timber and cork					17,273	17,481	551,298	404,791
25	Pulp and waste paper								
26	Textile fibres and their waste					340	4,834	546	586
27	Crude fertilisers and crude minerals (except coal, petroleum and precious stones)					16,033	20,196	60,881	116,568
28	Metalliferous ores and metal scrap					18,338,635	18,033,348		
29	Crude animal and vegetable materials, n.e.s.					31,716	36,356	7,616	567
	Total Section 2					18,683,797	18,294,935	620,341	522,550
3	MINERAL FUELS, LUBRICANTS AND RELATED MATERIALS—								
32	Coal, coke and briquettes								
33	Petroleum and petroleum products					139,797	538,638	4,546,215	5,163,171
34	Petroleum gases and other gaseous hydrocarbons					(a)	(a)		
	Total Section 3					139,797	538,638	4,546,215	5,163,171
4	ANIMAL AND VEGETABLE OILS AND FATS—								
41	Animal oils and fats					86,819	98,696		
42	Fixed vegetable oils and fats							2,837	123
43	Animal and vegetable oils and fats, processed and waxes of animal or vegetable origin							1	
	Total Section 4					86,819	98,696	2,838	123

For footnote see end of table.

TABLE 75.—OVERSEAS TRADE: TOTAL RECORDED EXPORTS AND IMPORTS, BY COMMODITY DIVISION, NORTHERN TERRITORY 1969-70 AND 1970-71—*continued*

(\$ f.o.b. port of shipment)

Section and division	Exports		Imports	
	1969-70	1970-71	1969-70	1970-71
5 CHEMICALS—				
51 Chemical elements and compounds	33,360	49,126	8,454	11,426
52 Mineral tar and crude chemicals from coal, petroleum and natural gas			180	
53 Dyeing, tanning and colouring materials	1,820	9,003	4,187	3,038
54 Medicinal and pharmaceutical products	3,414	34,158	968	1,392
55 Essential oils and perfume materials; toilet, polishing and cleansing preparations	245	185	14,266	14,040
56 Fertilisers, manufactured			39,913	48,050
57 Explosives and pyrotechnic products	780	5,393	2,315	6,583
58 Plastic materials, regenerated cellulose and artificial resins	1,111	823	27,417	18,130
59 Chemical materials and products, n.e.s.	329	9,397	65,679	251,028
Total Section 5	41,059	108,085	163,379	353,687
6 MANUFACTURED GOODS CLASSIFIED CHIEFLY BY MATERIAL—				
61 Leather, leather manufactures, n.e.s. and dressed fur skins	85	2,226	1,500	2,034
62 Rubber manufactures, n.e.s.	3,609	9,149	110,331	1,316,773
63 Wood and cork manufactures (except furniture)	50,278	8,043	8,264	21,546
64 Paper, paperboard and manufactures thereof	328	1,793	183,742	105,052
65 Textile yarn, fabrics, made-up articles and related products	21,160	20,445	35,243	51,818
66 Non-metallic mineral manufactures, n.e.s.	458,754	192,375	813,558	1,056,520
67 Iron and steel	31,071	13,102	1,175,881	846,773
68 Non-ferrous metals	79,092	50,042	1,112	928
69 Manufactures of metal, n.e.s.	125,671	172,734	190,542	297,494
Total Section 6	770,048	469,909	2,520,173	3,698,938
7 MACHINERY AND TRANSPORT EQUIPMENT—				
71 Machinery (except electric)	355,161	596,395	2,359,808	5,351,637
72 Electrical machinery, apparatus and appliances	364,404	479,174	847,370	3,345,914
73 Transport equipment	68,656,950	62,775,991	620,327,287	62,766,180
Total Section 7	9,376,515	3,851,560	23,534,465	11,463,731
8 MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURED ARTICLES—				
81 Sanitary, plumbing, heating and lighting fixtures and fittings	60	2,193	662	946
82 Furniture	428	4,708	3,947	1,300
83 Travel goods, handbags and similar articles	90		142	1,143
84 Clothing and clothing accessories and articles of knitted or crocheted fabric	600	4,737	6,388	5,190
85 Footwear, gaiters and similar articles and parts therefor	383	2,473	3,275	671
86 Professional, scientific and controlling instruments; photographic and optical goods, watches and clocks	228,419	362,120	300,009	736,795
89 Miscellaneous manufactured articles, n.e.s.	6,211	11,473	75,235	25,776
Total Section 8	236,191	387,704	389,658	771,821
9A Commodities and transactions not classified according to kind	10,135,707	571,933	427,147	445,372
TOTAL MERCHANDISE TRADE	49,634,164	35,691,384	32,235,229	22,462,411
9B Non-merchandise (including gold bullion and specie)	90,828	768,041	7,593,526	1,207,414
TOTAL TRADE	49,724,992	36,459,425	39,828,755	23,669,825

(a) Included in division 9A. (b) Includes vessels imported and exported for special purposes. (c) Includes division 34.

TABLE 76.—OVERSEAS TRADE: EXPORTS AND IMPORTS OF PRINCIPAL ITEMS, NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1969-70 AND 1970-71

(\$ f.o.b. port of shipment)

Reference number	Description	1969-70		1970-71	
		Quantity	Value (\$)	Quantity	Value (\$)
EXPORTS					
	Meat, fresh, chilled or frozen—				
	Beef, frozen—				
011.10.07	Boneless '000 lb	11,188	4,807,171	11,777	5,001,849
031.30.06	Fresh prawns and shrimps	4,571	4,897,372	5,326	5,627,253
211.10.02	Cattle hides, wet salted	2,404	238,662	1,900	156,040
281.30	Iron ore and concentrates tons	1,112,875	9,124,298	927,024	7,094,052
	Ores and concentrates—				
283.11.00	Copper	159	116,121	1,547	400,000
283.40.00	Lead	2,111	515,642	1,267	254,531
283.50.00	Zinc	3,143	246,435	1,312	82,554
283.70.00	Manganese	479,773	8,328,981	536,493	10,202,011
	Other goods		21,450,310		7,641,135
	TOTAL EXPORTS		49,724,992		36,459,425
IMPORTS					
243.31.19	Timber, sawn lengthwise, etc.—non-conifer '000 sup ft	4,916	548,489	2,778	324,308
331.02.09	Oils for use as refinery feed stock '000 gal	2,932	150,201	3,547	182,526
	Petroleum products—				
332.10.01	Automotive spirit	6,377	705,951	8,884	1,051,233
10.02	Aviation gasoline	1,352	231,467		
10.09	Other petroleum spirits	478	79,334	1,376	234,393
20.02	Aviation kerosene	10,076	1,093,129	11,800	1,119,218
20.09	Lighting kerosene	3,515	353,052	5,315	494,851
30.02	Automotive distillate	15,069	1,103,132	11,489	929,884
30.05	Industrial diesel fuel	2,600	197,915	3,170	269,904
40.01	Furnace fuel	12,902	566,903	16,019	836,993
629.40.02	Conveyor or elevator belting ft	897	4,420	167,268	1,116,523
678	Tubes, pipes and fittings of iron or steel		1,172,135		833,207
711.10.01	Steam, vapour generating boilers, complete No.			2	1,265,306
711.32.01	Steam turbines, complete			1	254,641
718.42.06	Rotary oil boring machinery		772,678		780,958
719.31.41	Belt conveyors, coal and ore				1,253,931
724.99	Telecommunications equipment		355,231		907,500
732.10.05	Motor cars, assembled, new No.	201	177,832	236	226,009
732.30.02	Commercial road transport vehicles, assembled	372	473,349	582	737,138
991.00.26	Goods imported with the intention that they be re-exported		1,940,736		70,676
991.00.31	Goods, re-imported, that are the produce or manufacture of Australia		5,107,390		237,650
	Other goods		24,792,401		10,542,976
	TOTAL IMPORTS		39,828,755		23,669,825

**TABLE 77.—CUSTOMS AND EXCISE REVENUE: NORTHERN TERRITORY
1969-70 AND 1970-71**

(3)

Customs tariff division and excise tariff item	1969-70		1970-71	
	Gross revenue	Net revenue	Gross revenue	Net revenue
CUSTOMS				
Prepared foodstuffs; beverages, spirits and vinegar; tobacco—				
(a) Spirits not falling within Tariff Item 22.08; liqueurs and other spirituous beverages; compound alcoholic preparations (known as concentrated extracts) for the manufacture of beverages, Tariff Item 22.09	79,053	79,009	105,661	105,521
(b) Remainder of Division	6,222	5,808	9,016	7,847
Mineral products—				
(a) Petroleum products falling within Tariff Items 27.10.2, 27.10.4 and 27.10.5—				
(i) Automotive spirit	710,220	710,220	1,346,879	1,344,512
(ii) Other	640,638	628,338	926,108	925,839
(b) Remainder of Division	139,319	134,879	184,494	162,901
Products of the chemical and allied industries	4,197	2,908	3,759	2,768
Wood and articles of wood; wood charcoal; cork and articles of cork; manufactures of straw, of esparto and of other plaiting materials; basketware and wickerwork	107,627	107,627	64,491	64,209
Base metals and articles of base metal	51,216	24,554	53,270	51,463
Machinery and mechanical appliances; electrical equipment; parts therefor	232,606	49,002	435,610	368,776
Vehicles, aircraft, and parts therefor; vessels and certain associated transport equipment	258,915	231,443	328,073	225,587
Other Customs revenue	156,313	152,781	124,584	121,303
Total customs duties	2,386,326	2,126,569	3,581,945	3,380,726
Primage	4,552	4,552	5,565	5,565
Total customs and primage duties	2,390,878	2,131,121	3,587,510	3,386,291
EXCISE				
Spirits, including liqueurs, etc.	97,645	97,645	112,114	112,114
Cigars and cigarettes				
Other gasoline	596,296	596,296	476,844	476,844
Aviation turbine kerosene, etc.	546,844	546,844	463,262	463,262
Other excise revenue	2,862,579	2,861,151	3,135,209	3,132,017
Total excise	4,103,364	4,101,936	4,187,429	4,184,237
TOTAL CUSTOMS, PRIMAGE AND EXCISE DUTIES	6,494,242	6,233,075	7,774,939	7,570,528

**TABLE 78.—SUMMARY OF TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1966-67 TO 1970-71**

				1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71
SHIPPING								
Overseas vessels entered	No.			81	100	124	134	279
	net tons			322,432	505,786	730,614	767,585	1,249,721
Overseas cargo—								
Discharged	tons weight			125,688	201,297	253,962	289,901	309,807
	tons meas.			3,713	19,550	28,087	9,785	22,984
Shipped	tons weight			162,847	567,007	1,125,117	1,488,068	1,740,577
	tons meas.			7	3,035	1,915	453	229
Interstate vessels entered	No.			59	85	87	111	108
	net tons			119,000	178,992	201,083	239,248	283,449
Interstate cargo—								
Discharged	tons weight			65,503	96,284	121,489	161,930	200,023
	tons meas.			19,655	44,085	49,017	77,941	167,958
Shipped	tons weight			102,178	116,970	156,922	113,348	124,506
	tons meas.			1,014	1,546	1,894	3,400	13,414
GOVERNMENT OMNIBUS SERVICES								
Route mileage	miles			22	23	35	36	36
Omnibus miles				688,389	715,499	749,041	679,728	754,888
Passenger journeys	No.			1,161,435	1,243,404	1,316,607	1,217,788	1,533,426
Gross revenue	\$			178,359	210,397	267,080	339,885	378,799
Working expenses	\$			175,975	190,649	233,825	447,741	463,863
Omnibuses	No.			19	19	25	28	34
Employees				32	32	34	34	38
ROADS								
Bituminous or concrete	miles			1,640	1,798	2,070	2,320	2,584
Gravel, crushed stone, etc.				1,005	1,190	1,150	1,216	802
Formed only				1,888	1,780	1,794	1,827	1,992
Cleared or natural surface only				7,443	7,220	7,035	6,806	(a)5,960
Total				11,976	11,988	12,049	12,169	(a)11,338
(a) Excludes stock routes.								
GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS								
Route miles(a)	No.			490	490	490	490	490
Passenger journeys(b)				221	89	163	121	772
Goods and livestock carried(b)	tons			129,234	458,412	878,514	1,158,354	1,130,840
Earnings(b)	\$			583,713	1,268,763	1,851,238	2,478,406	2,583,856
CIVIL AVIATION								
Traffic handled at Darwin Airport(c)—								
Domestic—								
Passengers	No.			57,557	65,535	78,165	98,523	118,375
Freight	tons(d)			1,813	1,678	1,999	2,364	2,760
International—								
Passengers	No.			8,038	9,132	11,131	15,443	19,127
Freight	tons(d)			31	46	60	78	172

(a) Includes 173 miles of Central Australia Railway from South Australian border to Alice Springs. (b) Relates to North Australia Railway only. (c) Excludes through traffic. (d) In terms of short tons (2,000 lb).

**TABLE 79.—REGISTRATIONS OF NEW MOTOR VEHICLES, BY TYPE(a)
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1967 TO 1971**

Type	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971
Motor cars	867	1,207	1,213	1,305	1,456
Station wagons	502	574	568	496	584
Ambulances and hearses	6	1	1	6	2
Utilities	739	784	953	951	1,065
Panel vans	87	100	138	165	185
Trucks	334	286	346	347	417
Other truck-types	1	6	10	10	12
Omnibuses	1	8	25	28	29
TOTAL	2,537	2,966	3,254	3,308	3,750
Motor cycles	183	251	375	558	1,021

(a) Commonwealth-owned vehicles in the Northern Territory are included, except those belonging to the defence services.

**TABLE 80.—REGISTRATIONS OF NEW MOTOR VEHICLES, BY TYPE
AND MAKE(a): NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1970 AND 1971**

Make	Motor cars (b)		Station wagons		Utilities		Panel vans		Trucks and other truck types		Omnibuses	
	1970	1971	1970	1971	1970	1971	1970	1971	1970	1971	1970	1971
Bedford .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	34	46	..	1	..
B.M.C.(c)	73	70	..	..	91	79	7	6	5	2	..	..
Chrysler	198	227	72	80	75	72	6	1	38	43	2	4
Datsun	95	127	11	29	79	117	7	8	21	24	..	..
Fiat	3	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	..	..
Ford	304	266	123	151	148	203	39	42	41	70	3	2
Holden	395	441	222	240	192	190	34	40	..	1	..	..
International .. .. .	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	1	67	69	6	2
Land Rover .. .. .	..	..	11	6	88	113	..	5	12	8	..	..
Mack .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	33	17	..	..
Mazda	60	91	15	30	14	14	18	13	2	10	..	..
Mercedes Benz	4	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	15	..	..
Rambler	9	9	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Renault	7	17	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Statesman .. .. .	..	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Toyota	110	140	41	38	252	265	21	30	65	95	9	16
Volkswagen	24	26	1	8	2	4	33	31	1	..	3	4
Other makes	29	17	..	..	6	8	..	3	30	27	5	..
TOTAL	1,311	1,458	496	584	951	1,065	165	185	357	429	28	29

(a) Commonwealth-owned vehicles in the Northern Territory are included, except those belonging to the defence services. (b) Includes ambulances and hearses. (c) Includes Austin and Morris vehicles.

TABLE 81.—MOTOR VEHICLES ON REGISTER, BY TYPE(a): NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUSES OF MOTOR VEHICLES, 1955 AND 1962

Type of vehicle							31 December—	
							1955	1962
Motor cars—								
Sedans ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,342	4,106
Open cars ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	199 {	114
Convertibles ..	..	..	..	..	..	..		24
Taxis, hire cars ..	..	..	..	..	..	..		63
Ambulances, hearses ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	(b) 11	14
Total motor cars ..							1,552	4,321
Station wagons ..							66	1,258
Total station wagons ..							66	1,258
Other motor vehicles—								
Utilities ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,645	2,806
Panel vans ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	82	471
Trucks—								
Table top, platform ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	789	950
Van-type ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	20	27
Tipper ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	265	257
Articulated, semi-trailer ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	73	92
Total trucks ..							1,147	1,326
Other truck-types—								
Tankers ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	47 {	38
Tow trucks ..	..	..	..	..	..	..		25
Other ..	..	..	..	..	..	..		10
Total other truck-types ..							47	73
Omnibuses—								
Minibuses, microbuses ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	42 {	35
Other ..	..	..	..	..	..	..		56
Total omnibuses ..							42	91
Total other motor vehicles ..							2,963	4,767
TOTAL MOTOR VEHICLES (EXCLUDING MOTOR CYCLES) ..							4,581	10,346
Motor Cycles—								
Solo, motor scooters ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	460 {	315
Sidecar ..	..	..	..	..	..	..		7
Other ..	..	..	..	..	..	..		3
Total motor cycles ..							460	325
TOTAL MOTOR VEHICLES ..							5,041	10,671

(a) Commonwealth-owned vehicles in the Northern Territory are included, except those belonging to the defence services. (b) Included with Sedans.

TABLE 82.—MOTOR VEHICLES ON REGISTER(a): NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1960 TO 1971

Date	Motor cars and station wagons	Utilities, panel vans, trucks(b) and omnibuses	Motor cycles	Total
30 June 1960	3,847	4,034	424	8,305
31 December 1960	4,183	4,148	397	8,728
30 June 1961	4,577	4,346	366	9,289
31 December 1961	4,926	4,474	337	9,737
30 June 1962	5,184	4,602	326	10,112
31 December 1962	5,579	4,767	325	10,671
30 June 1963	5,939	4,901	351	11,191
31 December 1963	6,647	5,341	353	12,341
30 June 1964	7,283	5,642	349	13,274
31 December 1964	7,706	5,733	305	13,744
30 June 1965	8,043	5,741	292	14,076
31 December 1965	8,576	5,884	324	14,784
30 June 1966	9,274	5,869	406	15,549
31 December 1966	9,722	6,023	466	16,211
30 June 1967	10,196	6,320	530	17,046
31 December 1967	11,051	6,816	596	18,463
30 June 1968	12,149	7,259	707	20,115
31 December 1968	13,031	7,595	805	21,431
30 June 1969	13,759	7,979	940	22,678
31 December 1969	14,805	8,484	1,073	24,362
30 June 1970	15,414	8,727	1,213	25,354
31 December 1970	16,421	9,248	1,395	27,064
30 June 1971	17,589	9,793	1,733	29,115

(a) Series revised in accordance with the results of the Census of Motor Vehicles, 31 December 1962. Commonwealth-owned vehicles in the Northern Territory are included, except those belonging to the defence services.
(b) Includes other truck-types.

TABLE 83.—MOTOR VEHICLES ON REGISTER, BY TYPE OF VEHICLE AND LOCATION(a): NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUS OF MOTOR VEHICLES, 31 DECEMBER 1962

Location(a)	Motor cars	Station wagons	Utilities	Panel vans	Trucks	Other truck-types	Omnibuses	Motor cycles	Total
Darwin	2,993	709	1,133	282	369	31	34	232	5,783
Katherine	100	26	76	11	34	2	1	10	260
Tennant Creek	127	52	83	15	40	3	2	7	329
Alice Springs	661	200	476	65	241	17	25	41	1,726
Remainder of the Territory	362	195	572	48	331	7	8	26	1,549
Not specified(b)	78	76	466	50	311	13	21	9	1,024
TOTAL	4,321	1,258	2,806	471	1,326	73	91	325	10,671

(a) Address shown on the registration certificate. Excludes vehicles belonging to the defence services. (b) Commonwealth-owned vehicles in the Northern Territory registered with the Commonwealth Registry, Canberra.

TABLE 84.—MOTOR VEHICLES ON REGISTER(a), BY TYPE OF VEHICLE AND YEAR OF MODEL: NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUS OF MOTOR VEHICLES, 31 DECEMBER 1962

Type of vehicle		Year of model										Total	
		Before 1953	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961		1962
Motor cars ..	No.	728	157	257	285	359	362	369	413	572	393	426	4,321
	%	16.8	3.6	6.0	6.6	8.3	8.4	8.5	9.6	13.2	9.1	9.9	100.0
Station wagons ..	No.	17	8	13	8	17	49	148	221	267	252	258	1,258
	%	1.3	0.7	1.0	0.7	1.3	3.9	11.8	17.6	21.2	20.0	20.5	100.0
Utilities ..	No.	452	137	193	141	236	217	269	248	345	281	287	2,806
	%	16.2	4.9	6.9	5.0	8.4	7.7	9.6	8.8	12.3	10.0	10.2	100.0
Panel vans ..	No.	22	3	19	27	51	54	63	49	76	63	44	471
	%	4.7	0.6	4.0	5.7	10.8	11.5	13.4	10.4	16.1	13.4	9.4	100.0
Trucks ..	No.	328	39	62	65	132	110	96	97	115	170	112	1,326
	%	24.8	2.9	4.7	4.9	10.0	8.3	7.2	7.3	8.7	12.8	8.4	100.0
Other truck- types ..	No.	29	2	5	6	5	4	1	5	6	10	..	73
	%	39.8	2.8	6.8	8.2	6.8	5.5	1.4	6.8	8.2	13.7	..	100.0
Omnibuses ..	No.	19	..	3	3	5	4	5	12	12	14	14	91
	%	20.8	..	3.3	3.3	5.5	4.4	5.5	13.2	13.2	15.4	15.4	100.0
Motor cycles ..	No.	41	10	17	21	26	19	42	36	39	19	55	325
	%	12.7	3.1	5.2	6.5	8.0	5.8	12.9	11.1	12.0	5.8	16.9	100.0
TOTAL ..	No.	1,636	356	569	556	831	819	993	1,081	1,432	1,202	1,196	10,671
	%	15.3	3.4	5.3	5.2	7.8	7.7	9.3	10.1	13.4	11.3	11.2	100.0

(a) Commonwealth-owned vehicles in the Northern Territory are included, except those belonging to the defence services.

TABLE 85.—ROAD TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS INVOLVING CASUALTIES NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1969 TO 1971

Area	Number of accidents			Persons killed			Persons injured		
	1969	1970	1971	1969	1970	1971	1969	1970	1971
City of Darwin ..	229	245	334	5	5	9	303	335	446
Other areas ..	271	283	326	40	37	41	424	379	480
TOTAL ..	500	528	660	45	42	50	727	714	926

**TABLE 86.—ROAD TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS INVOLVING CASUALTIES, BY
TYPE OF ROAD USER KILLED OR INJURED
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1969 TO 1971**

Type of road user	Persons killed			Persons injured		
	1969	1970	1971	1969	1970	1971
Drivers of motor vehicles ..	13	16	22	306	318	379
Motor cyclists	1	..	6	64	50	135
Pedal cyclists .. ..	..	1	..	9	11	8
Passengers (all types)(a) ..	18	18	15	305	276	359
Pedestrians	13	7	7	43	58	45
Other classes(b) .. ..	..	..	..	..	1	..
TOTAL	45	42	50	727	714	926

(a) Includes pillion-riders.

(b) 'Other classes' includes riders of horses and drivers of animal-drawn vehicles.

**TABLE 87.—ROAD TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS INVOLVING CASUALTIES, BY
AGE OF PERSONS KILLED OR INJURED
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1969 TO 1971**

Age group (years)	Persons killed			Persons injured		
	1969	1970	1971	1969	1970	1971
Under 5 .. ..	..	2	3	23	15	35
5 and under 7 .. ..	..	..	1	18	20	11
7 and under 17	5	1	1	45	49	42
17 and under 21	3	4	5	109	115	139
21 and under 30	19	19	14	253	247	359
30 and under 40	5	6	9	132	134	160
40 and under 50	5	5	8	60	67	88
50 and under 60	3	3	6	40	33	41
60 and over	3	2	2	20	13	16
Not stated	2	..	1	27	21	35
TOTAL	45	42	50	727	714	926

TABLE 88.—ROAD TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS INVOLVING CASUALTIES, BY LOCATION: NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1969 TO 1971

Location	Number of accidents			Persons killed			Persons injured		
	1969	1970	1971	1969	1970	1971	1969	1970	1971
Intersection	108	138	191	..	2	2	164	198	282
Straight road	253	266	317	31	28	28	347	336	429
Bend or curve—view open	91	91	87	10	9	14	130	124	121
Bend or curve—view obscured	29	28	40	4	2	3	42	47	65
Bridge, culvert or causeway	1	..	5	..	..	1	1	..	7
Steep hill	2	2	3	..	1	..	2	5	3
Top of hill	4	1	1	..	..	..	7	2	1
Railway level crossing	3	..	3	..	..	..	4	..	3
Other locations	9	2	13	..	..	2	10	2	15
TOTAL	500	528	660	45	42	50	727	714	926

TABLE 89.—ROAD TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS INVOLVING CASUALTIES, BY TIME OF OCCURRENCE: NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1969 TO 1971

Time of occurrence	Number of accidents			Persons killed			Persons injured		
	1969	1970	1971	1969	1970	1971	1969	1970	1971
After midnight and up to 2 a.m. ..	53	54	47	6	4	4	64	66	62
" 2 a.m. " " " 4 a.m. ..	19	25	18	4	2	1	37	32	24
" 4 a.m. " " " 6 a.m. ..	6	6	11	..	..	..	12	8	13
" 6 a.m. " " " 8 a.m. ..	20	10	30	..	2	2	26	13	41
" 8 a.m. " " " 10 a.m. ..	17	21	34	..	..	1	30	29	35
" 10 a.m. " " " 12 noon ..	37	29	26	..	2	3	56	31	32
" 12 noon " " " 2 p.m. ..	29	28	52	2	1	1	35	36	78
" 2 p.m. " " " 4 p.m. ..	42	45	72	6	7	6	67	52	105
" 4 p.m. " " " 6 p.m. ..	73	81	101	4	3	9	111	113	144
" 6 p.m. " " " 8 p.m. ..	87	73	96	8	7	9	135	109	139
" 8 p.m. " " " 10 p.m. ..	53	68	75	10	2	4	69	101	118
" 10 p.m. " " " midnight ..	64	86	95	5	12	10	85	122	132
Not stated .. .. .	..	2	3	..	..	..	..	2	3
TOTAL	500	528	660	45	42	50	727	714	926

TABLE 90.—RADIOCOMMUNICATION STATIONS: NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1967 TO 1971

Class of station (Transmitting and receiving)	At 30 June—				
	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971
Fixed—					
Aeronautical	8	8	8	8	8
Outpost	274	240	259	269	279
Other	49	48	54	73	102
Land—					
Aeronautical	29	29	31	30	23
Base—Land mobile services	29	51	71	103	126
Coast	4	4	6	7	7
Special experimental	5	6	7	12	14
Mobile—					
Aeronautical	40	42	56	54	65
Land mobile services	442	556	694	865	1,030
Outpost	832	892	968	974	973
Ship	36	35	43	47	49
Amateur	23	26	29	40	49
Total stations authorised	1,721	1,937	2,226	2,482	2,725

TABLE 91.—BROADCASTING AND BROADCAST LISTENERS' LICENCES NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1967 TO 1971

	At 30 June—				
	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971
Broadcasting licences—					
National stations	4	4	4	4	4
Commercial stations	1	1	1	1	2
TOTAL	5	5	5	5	6
Broadcast listeners' licences	3,956	4,762	6,170	5,932	5,033

NOTE. Television transmission commenced in the Northern Territory in the second half of 1971. At 31 December 1971 there were two television stations, one national and one commercial operating from Darwin. At the same date there were over 1,500 television viewing licences on issue.

TABLE 92.—DISTANCES BETWEEN DARWIN AND OTHER CAPITAL CITIES OF AUSTRALIA, 1971

From Darwin to—				By sea	By air (a)	By road
				Nautical miles	Miles	Miles
Sydney	..	..	..	(b) 2,474	1,962	(c) 2,810
Melbourne	..	..	..	(b) 3,049	(d) 2,129	(d) 2,448
Brisbane	..	..	..	(b) 2,048	1,794	2,182
Adelaide	..	..	..	(e) 3,180	1,719	1,984
Perth	..	..	..	(f) 1,848	1,868	2,564
Hobart	..	..	..	(b) 3,095	(g) 2,518	(i) 2,593
Canberra	..	..	..	..	(h) 2,116	(d) 2,737

(a) Shortest regular route. (b) Via Thursday Island. (c) Via Brisbane. (d) Via Adelaide. (e) Via Western Australia. (f) To Fremantle. (g) Via Melbourne. (h) Via Sydney. (i) Via Melbourne and Adelaide. Includes 145 miles from Bell Bay to Hobart. Excludes 250 nautical miles from Melbourne to Bell Bay.

TABLE 93.—MILEAGES: DARWIN TO ALICE SPRINGS, STUART HIGHWAY

Places		Mileage from		Places		Mileage from	
		Darwin	Alice Springs			Darwin	Alice Springs
Darwin	..	..	956	Newcastle Waters Turn Off	..	468	488
Adelaide River	..	72	884	Elliott	..	483	473
Hayes Creek	..	117	839	Renner Springs	..	543	413
'133 Mile'	..	133	823	Barkly Highway Turn Off	..	626	330
Pine Creek	..	157	799	Tennant Creek	..	643	313
Katherine	..	221	735	Wauchope	..	713	243
Maranboy	..	250	706	Barrow Creek	..	779	177
Mataranka	..	285	671	Ti Tree	..	836	120
Larrimah	..	333	623	Aileron	..	871	85
Daly Waters	..	387	569	Alice Springs	..	956	..
Dunmarra	..	418	538				

**TABLE 94.—RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE: NORTHERN TERRITORY
1966-67 TO 1970-71**

This table represents a reclassification of identifiable receipts and expenditure relating to the Northern Territory in a National Accounts form. It covers the transactions of the Commonwealth Government in respect of the Northern Territory in the Consolidated Revenue Fund and the following trust funds: Northern Territory Aborigines Benefits, Northern Territory Government Settlements Canteens, Northern Territory Housing Commission, Northern Territory Housing Loans and Northern Territory Transport. Details of the financial transactions of the following Northern Territory Semi-government authorities are also included: the Northern Territory Port Authority, Northern Territory Aboriginal Advancement Capital Fund (from 1968-69) and the Northern Territory Housing Commission (from 1969-70). Details of the financial transactions of the Darwin City Council are also incorporated in this table.

Revenue derived by the Commonwealth from income taxes, customs duties, etc., levied in the Northern Territory and expenditure on items such as defence, civil aviation, railways, etc., and payments to residents from the National Welfare Fund are *not* included. Details of expenditure from the National Welfare Fund may be found in Tables 104 to 108. Details of receipts from and expenditure on other items mentioned above are not available.

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	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71
Receipts—					
Taxation—					
Stamp duties	55	73	86	94	177
Motor registration	273	321	517	586	647
Other taxes, fees, fines, etc. ..	521	589	696	840	1,434
Interest, rent, etc.	538	919	1,058	1,581	1,338
Public enterprises income	1,789	2,209	2,468	3,059	5,509
Net sale of local authority and public corporation securities	—3	—393	90	92	—16
Other receipts	256	450	425	—52	—559
Net charge to Commonwealth budget	50,722	53,291	57,964	74,820	90,103
TOTAL RECEIPTS	54,151	57,459	63,304	81,020	98,634
Expenditure—					
Net current expenditure on goods and services—					
Law, order and public safety ..	328	426	490	422	861
Education	1,763	3,387	4,562	5,609	7,853
Public health and welfare ..	7,627	8,859	12,542	16,630	16,171
Other	12,677	13,984	13,975	15,511	20,554
Net capital expenditure on new assets and stocks—					
Roads	4,756	7,243	8,099	8,621	12,002
Housing	4,443	3,654	3,414	7,120	7,626
Other	20,416	17,002	16,963	22,819	25,851
Net purchase of existing assets ..	264	—878	—358	—591	2,784
Interest paid	145	174	113	146	267
Cash benefits	316	369	450	498	592
Subsidies	298	311	337	648	473
Net advances—					
Housing	567	2,191	1,956	2,886	1,625
Other	544	602	513	441	1,475
Grants towards private capital expenditure	7	135	248	260	501
TOTAL EXPENDITURE	54,151	57,459	63,304	81,020	98,634

**TABLE 95.—COMMONWEALTH CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND
RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE, NORTHERN TERRITORY
1966-67 TO 1970-71**

The information in the following table covers identifiable transactions of the Commonwealth Consolidated Revenue Fund in special relation to the administration of the Northern Territory.

Revenue derived by the Commonwealth from income taxes, customs duties, etc., levied in the Northern Territory and expenditure by the Commonwealth in the Northern Territory on such items as defence, civil aviation, railways, etc., and payments to residents from the National Welfare Fund are not included. Details of expenditure from the National Welfare Fund may be found in Tables 104 to 108. Details of receipts from, and expenditure on, other items mentioned above are not available.

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Item	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71
RECEIPTS					
Rent	866	1,023	1,132	1,340	2,583
Rates	654	701	862	978	1,087
Electricity	2,737	3,074	3,595	4,202	4,893
Motor registration	273	321	517	586	647
Attorney-General's Department	339	394	486	652	760
Housing—Interest and principal	745	1,013	1,272	823	2,985
Mining	231	465	571	946	591
Harbour and wharf .. .. .	..	308	318	..	637
Health	477	408	683	780	1,019
Department of Education and Science—					
Fees .. .. .	..	..	9	11	14
Stamp duties n.e.i.	55	73	86	94	176
Miscellaneous	896	1,883	1,529	2,037	4,658
TOTAL	7,273	9,663	11,060	12,449	20,050
EXPENDITURE					
Capital works and services—					
Buildings, works, sites, etc.	15,943	15,518	13,173	21,264	32,082
Plant and equipment	3,010	3,881	3,441	3,534	3,670
Cattle roads	2,300	4,000	4,295	4,900	4,399
Loans for housing	2,836	3,414	3,872	5,681	6,455
Other	4,696	3,556	2,890	2,228	3,637
Other—					
Attorney-General's Department	245	297	307	347	414
Department of Education and Science	1,703	2,074	2,888	3,720	5,073
Department of Health	4,420	5,102	6,128	7,625	9,420
Department of the Interior	16,725	19,521	22,955	27,458	31,037
Department of Works	6,567	8,052	9,401	10,407	11,160
Other .. .. .	..	..	..	9	..
TOTAL	58,445	63,215	69,350	87,174	107,348

TABLE 96.—TRUST FUND TRANSACTIONS: RECEIPTS, EXPENDITURE AND BALANCES, NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1970-71
(S'000)

Fund	Balance at 1 July 1970	Year ended 30 June 1971		Balance at 30 June 1971
		Receipts	Expenditure	
Aborigines benefits	475	244	346	372
Government settlements canteen ..	13	1	2	12
Housing loans	805	555	472	887
Transport	88	1,955	1,986	58
Total	1,381	2,755	2,806	1,330

TABLE 97.—COMMONWEALTH INCOME TAX: INCOME YEAR 1968-69 (ASSESSMENT YEAR 1969-70): TAXPAYERS RESIDENT IN NORTHERN TERRITORY, INCOME AND TAX, BY GRADE OF ACTUAL INCOME(a)

Grade of actual income(a)		Taxpayers			Actual income(a)	Taxable income	Net income tax assessed
		Males	Females	Total			
\$	\$	No.	No.	No.	S'000	S'000	S'000
417-	599	104	93	197	100	98	2
600-	799	102	91	193	136	129	4
800-	999	135	139	274	251	207	9
1,000-	1,199	194	347	541	599	389	16
1,200-	1,399	240	456	696	903	599	30
1,400-	1,599	274	459	733	1,103	761	46
1,600-	1,799	261	451	712	1,214	871	62
1,800-	1,999	331	467	798	1,513	1,093	87
2,000-	2,199	392	465	857	1,798	1,300	114
2,200-	2,399	413	453	866	1,992	1,468	142
2,400-	2,599	474	381	855	2,138	1,556	161
2,600-	2,799	502	346	848	2,288	1,690	190
2,800-	2,999	526	274	800	2,320	1,678	199
3,000-	3,999	3,129	734	3,863	13,484	9,697	1,339
4,000-	5,999	4,800	281	5,081	24,736	17,388	3,074
6,000-	7,999	1,530	96	1,626	11,010	7,832	1,753
8,000-	9,999	366	34	400	3,508	2,630	718
10,000-	19,999	249	38	287	3,675	2,947	1,033
20,000 and over		44	7	51	3,575	3,191	1,929
TOTAL ..		14,066	5,612	19,678	76,342	55,524	10,910

(a) 'Actual income' means, broadly, 'Gross income, including exempt income, less the expenditure incurred in gaining that income'.

TABLE 98.—SALES TAX: GOODS SOLD AND TAX PAYABLE, NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1966-67 TO 1970-71

An indication of fluctuations in the value of wholesale trade is given by the returns made under the Sales Tax Acts. With certain specified exemptions, goods sold by wholesale in Australia, including imports, are taxable. The sales shown do not cover all wholesale trade, as vendors trading only in exempt goods are not required to furnish returns. Nor do the returns furnished necessarily cover a constant proportion of all wholesale trade. The effects of legislative and administrative changes on the recorded values of taxable and exempt goods respectively are somewhat uncertain, but total recorded sales are affected to a smaller degree. Insufficient information is available to enable adjustments to be made to the crude figures on this account. The information shown below relates to assessments made in Northern Territory only.

(\$'000)

	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71
Net sales of taxable and exempt goods	17,600	25,104	34,101	43,949	52,188
Taxable sales—					
2½%	324	479	717	939	929
12½%	2,462	3,664	577	..	..
15% (a) .. .. .	..	..	3,838	5,632	5,845
25%	470	966	1,178	1,519	255
27½% (b) .. .. .	..	..	..	..	1,688
TOTAL TAXABLE SALES ..	3,255	5,108	6,310	8,090	8,717
Sales tax payable	433	711	960	1,248	1,428

(a) Commenced on 14 August 1968.

(b) Commenced on 19 August 1970.

TABLE 99.—BANK DEPOSITS AND ADVANCES: NORTHERN TERRITORY 1967 TO 1971

(\$'000)

Cheque-paying banks					Savings banks		
Monthly average for June—		Deposits	Advances	At end of June—		Depositors' balances	
1967	.. ..	15,776	5,122	1967	.. ..	12,508	
1968	.. ..	17,221	6,470	1968	.. ..	14,390	
1969	.. ..	20,690	8,310	1969	.. ..	17,397	
1970	.. ..	35,121	10,597	1970	.. ..	21,349	
1971	.. ..	29,923	12,870	1971	.. ..	27,417	

TABLE 100.—PUBLIC HOSPITALS(a): NUMBER, ACCOMMODATION, STAFF AND PATIENTS, NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1966-67 TO 1970-71

	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71
Number of hospitals(b)	4	4	4	4	4
Accommodation—Number of beds and cots	565	566	619	692	672
Staff—					
Medical officers(c)	25	39	27	33	50
Para-medical officers(d)	18	13	30	30	40
Nurses(e)	253	313	443	463	530
Administration	52	70	73	65	82
Other	254	356	363	372	386
Total staff	602	791	936	963	1,088
Patients(f)—					
In-patients at beginning of year—					
Males	197	205	227	282	277
Females	178	213	218	246	336
Persons	375	418	445	528	613
Admissions and re-admissions during year—					
Males	5,569	6,175	7,012	7,730	7,729
Females	6,531	6,915	8,074	9,086	9,716
Persons	12,100	13,090	15,086	16,816	17,445
Total in-patients (cases) treated—					
Males	5,766	6,380	7,239	8,012	8,008
Females	6,709	7,128	8,292	9,332	10,050
Persons	12,475	13,508	15,531	17,344	18,058
Discharges—					
Males	5,424	6,038	6,829	7,596	7,578
Females	6,401	6,833	7,955	8,920	9,611
Persons	11,825	12,871	14,784	16,516	17,189
Deaths—					
Males	137	115	128	137	156
Females	95	77	91	78	141
Persons	232	192	219	215	297
In-patients at end of year—					
Males	205	227	282	279	274
Females	213	218	246	334	298
Persons	418	445	528	613	572
Average daily number of patients resident ..	388	398	466	500	576
Out-patients—Number of cases treated(b)(f)	122,144	139,355	149,013	169,886	177,248

(a) There are no private hospitals in the Northern Territory. (b) At Darwin, Alice Springs, Katherine and Tennant Creek. Centres at Gove and Alyangula, while not 'official' hospitals, treated 466 in-patients and 22,798 out-patients during 1970-71. (c) In addition, private practitioners may treat patients in Northern Territory public hospitals. (d) Physiotherapists, occupational therapists, dietitians, radiographers, pharmacists, etc. (e) Qualified and student nurses, assistant nurses, assistant nurse trainees, nursing aides and nursing aide trainees. (f) In addition, 10,507 out-patient cases were treated in clinics at Batchelor, Adelaide River and Pine Creek during 1970-71.

**TABLE 101.—PUBLIC HOSPITALS: REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1966-67 TO 1970-71**
(£'000)

	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71
Revenue—					
Government aid	3,788	7,765	3,921	5,536	6,567
Commonwealth hospital benefits, etc. ..	121	78	155	181	325
Fees	304	391	451	520	591
Total Revenue	4,213	8,234	4,527	6,237	7,483
Expenditure—					
Salaries and wages	1,823	2,246	2,742	3,422	4,378
Upkeep and repair of buildings and grounds	135	322	281	386	461
All other ordinary expenditure	1,157	1,142	1,337	1,735	1,946
Capital(a)	1,098	4,524	167	693	698
Total Expenditure	4,213	8,234	4,527	6,237	7,483

(a) Major capital works only.

**TABLE 102.—INFANT WELFARE CENTRES: NORTHERN TERRITORY
1966-67 TO 1970-71**

	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71
Number of centres or sub-centres ..	r17	r20	r20	r18	18
Number of attendances—					
Darwin	3,449	4,452	4,490	3,969	4,293
R.A.A.F. Base, Darwin	983	824	700	838	1,288
Stuart Park	803	800	951	999	1,280
Nightcliff	1,448	1,579	1,404	1,279	1,366
Parap Pre-school (a)	727	584	748	385	..
Parap Clinic(b) .. .. .	..	..	..	..	2,550
Parap Guide Hall	1,131	938	1,198	2,398	864
Bagot Reserve	1,281	1,906	1,833	1,417	1,249
Bagot Sub-division (c)	610	824	895	788	195
Rapid Creek	4,608	4,626	5,057	6,752	7,714
Alice Springs(d)	2,597	2,815	3,178	3,706	4,458
Tennant Creek	845	864	766	1,557	2,109
Katherine	1,827	1,798	1,771	1,615	1,440
Katherine Mobile Unit	18	..	420	403	225
Batchelor	268	323	186	274	219
Pine Creek	83	155	43	187	10
Moline	39	9	33	33	5
Umbakumba(e)	493	928	186	..	..
Coonawarra(f) .. .. .	..	292	294	225	525
Kormilda(g) .. .. .	..	50	108	..	..
Alyangula(h) .. .. .	..	131	113	230	326
Total, all attendances	21,210	23,898	24,374	27,055	30,116
Home Visits by Nurses—					
Darwin	6,141	7,783	7,591	7,053	6,382
Alice Springs	146	988	1,147	1,264	1,549
Other centres	36	151	195	108	69
Total, home visits	6,323	8,922	8,933	8,425	7,948

(a) Closed December 1969. (b) Parap clinic opened November 1970. (c) Closed November 1970.
(d) Gregory Terrace, Ida Standley and Toddlers centres (Toddlers clinic commenced July 1967). (e) Closed August 1968. (f) Commenced October 1967. (g) Commenced March 1968 and closed December 1968. (h) Commenced July 1967.

**TABLE 103.—HEALTH SERVICES, NORTHERN TERRITORY
1966-67 TO 1970-71**

Service	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71
Aerial Medical Service(a)—					
Emergency flights	192	208	262	324	402
Routine flights	397	422	728	579	507
Miles flown	294,330	318,119	421,215	429,354	427,558
Patients carried—					
by Aerial Medical Service	1,068	1,075	1,347	1,669	1,793
by charter or commercial service	1,975	2,159	2,066	1,668	1,390
Radio medical consultations	4,561	4,824	5,498	(b)3,319	(b)3,016
School Medical Service—					
Number of school and pre-school children examined	2,201	2,098	2,280	2,932	2,292
Dental Services: Number of treatments(c)—					
Darwin Dental Clinic	17,763	18,962	19,994	17,742	22,124
Aerial Mobile (operating from Darwin)	1,519	3,291	6,380	7,993	5,681
Overland Mobile (operating from Darwin)	4,867	2,682	6,982	5,479	3,972
Darwin schools	1,735	3,405	499	..	..
Alice Springs (including mobile and schools)	10,735	11,604	7,826	9,357	9,939
Nightcliff Clinic	6,039	7,553	9,738	12,343	11,656
Gove Dental Clinic (d) .. .. .	..	..	..	n.a.	5,179
Total number of dental treatments	42,658	47,497	51,419	52,914	58,551
Immunisation (Poliomyelitis)—					
Number of injections given	11,459	2,635	128	..	..
Doses of Sabin vaccine	8,854	16,943	28,185	r26,396	20,200
Commonwealth Health Laboratory—					
Number of tests performed	215,461	273,676	322,606	396,623	497,569
Number of patients(e)	49,045	57,753	62,418	79,780	78,741
Health Inspection—					
Number of licences issued under public health ordinances	123	203	214	r278	294
District Nursing Service—					
Number of visits	29,126	55,402	63,002	74,230	73,243
Ambulance Services(f)—					
Number of trips	4,192	3,465	3,544	2,698	3,480
Number of patients carried	5,579	4,296	4,759	3,707	3,761
Number of miles travelled	89,013	87,995	82,500	84,130	85,913
Quarantine—					
Vessels boarded and cleared—					
Sea-craft number	97	165	247	278	332
Crew	3,266	3,703	7,908	8,394	10,319
Passengers	110	226	1,088	204	2,452
Air-craft	879	1,259	1,776	2,032	2,292
Crew	7,138	10,912	13,077	14,880	17,096
Passengers	59,553	89,648	132,738	132,578	141,040

(a) The Aerial Medical Service is provided by the Department of Health and is distinct from, although it co-ordinates with, the Royal Flying Doctor Service which is a non-profit organisation controlled by a federal council comprised of representatives of all States. The Commonwealth Government contributes by way of grants towards the cost of the Flying Doctor Service. (b) Excludes radio-telephone consultations. (c) Including examinations. The number of dental services performed is dependent on the available professional staff. (d) Commenced February 1970. (e) Where more than one test is carried out for the same patient, he is counted more than once. (f) Operating from: Darwin, Alice Springs, Tennant Creek and Katherine.

TABLE 104.—SCHOOLS: NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1967 TO 1971

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971
SCHOOLS					
Government(a)	24	25	26	31	36
Non-government(a)	5	5	5	5	(b)11
Total(a)	29	30	31	36	47
Schools for Aboriginal children(c)	48	56	58	57	58
ALL SCHOOLS	77	86	89	93	105
TEACHERS					
At government schools(a)—					
Full-time teachers	274	310	364	429	483
Part-time—					
Number	6	3	6	15	24
Equivalent full-time units	1	1	3	9	12
At non-government schools(a)—					
Full-time teachers	27	32	34	42	52
Part-time—					
Number	1	3	2	5	6
Equivalent full-time units .. .. .	..	1	1	1	3
At schools for Aboriginal children(c)	150	206	225	297	285
PUPILS					
At government schools(a)	6,744	7,679	8,561	9,768	10,720
At non-government schools(a)	996	1,116	1,256	1,310	1,436
Total	7,740	8,795	9,817	11,078	12,156
At schools for Aboriginal children(c)	3,858	4,213	5,167	5,440	5,933
ALL PUPILS	11,598	13,008	14,984	16,518	18,089

(a) At the annual School Census in August. Excludes schools for Aboriginal children. (b) Includes 5 schools not previously included, details of which are not available for previous years. (c) At 30 June. See Table 108 for further details. These are schools specifically set up for the education of Aboriginal children requiring other than ordinary schooling.

**TABLE 105.—PUPILS, BY GRADE: SCHOOLS, NORTHERN TERRITORY
1971**

Grade, year or form	Government schools			Non-government schools			All schools		
	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total	Boys	Girls	Total
Primary(a)—									
Preparatory ..	238	259	497	10	7	17	248	266	514
Grade I ..	654	582	1,236	117	117	234	771	699	1,470
Grade II ..	616	561	1,177	98	83	181	714	644	1,358
Grade III ..	605	526	1,131	107	92	199	712	618	1,330
Grade IV ..	578	571	1,149	75	67	142	653	638	1,291
Grade V ..	568	535	1,103	73	85	158	641	620	1,261
Grade VI ..	504	471	975	62	91	153	566	562	1,128
Grade VII ..	455	409	864	72	66	138	527	475	1,002
Ungraded(b) ..	62	35	97	..	..	..	62	35	97
Schools for Aboriginal children(c) ..	2,270	2,178	4,448	727	758	1,485	2,997	2,936	5,933
Secondary(a)—									
VIII or 1st ..	412	396	808	50	42	92	462	438	900
IX or 2nd ..	367	348	715	39	32	71	406	380	786
X or 3rd ..	258	243	501	21	21	42	279	264	543
XI or 4th ..	158	172	330	9	..	9	167	172	339
5th ..	52	47	99	..	..	..	52	47	99
Ungraded (b) ..	25	13	38	..	..	..	25	13	38
TOTAL ..	7,822	7,346	15,168	1,460	1,461	2,921	9,282	8,807	18,089

(a) At the annual School Census in August. (b) Occupation and opportunity classes. (c) At 30 June. Schools specifically set up for the education of Aboriginal children requiring other than ordinary schooling.

TABLE 106.—SIZE OF SCHOOLS: NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1971(a)

Number of pupils(b)	Government schools			Non-government schools			All schools			
	Essentially primary (c)	Essentially secondary(d)	All other (e)	Essentially primary (c)	Essentially secondary(d)	All other (e)	Essentially primary (c)	Essentially secondary(d)	All other (e)	All schools
Less than 21	3	..	8	5	..	1	8	..	9	17
21 to 35	5	..	14	..	..	1	5	..	15	20
36 to 100	2	..	19	1	1	2	3	1	21	25
101 to 200	1	..	7	..	..	1	1	..	8	9
201 to 300	1	..	6	1	..	4	2	..	10	12
301 to 400	1	..	2	1	..	..	2	..	2	4
401 to 600	8	1	2	1	..	1	9	1	3	13
601 to 800	3	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	3
801 to 1,200	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	2
1,201 to 2,000	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
TOTAL ..	24	3	58	9	1	10	33	4	68	105

(a) Includes schools for Aboriginal children. (b) At the annual School Census in August. Schools for Aboriginal children as at 30 June. (c) Schools having primary grades only, and schools having pupils in both primary and secondary grades, provided that facilities are available to teach all primary grades, and that they do not go higher than the second secondary grade. (d) Schools having secondary grades only, and schools having pupils ranging over both primary and secondary grades, provided that the range is at least to the third secondary grade and that no more than 20 per cent of total pupils are in primary grades. (e) Includes all special schools; schools having pupils ranging over both primary and secondary grades where facilities are available to teach some, but not all, primary grades and pupils do not go higher than the second secondary grade; and any school having facilities for pupils ranging over primary and secondary grades to the third secondary grade or beyond with more than 20 per cent of total pupils in primary grades.

TABLE 107.—PUPILS, BY AGE: NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1969 TO 1971

Age last birthday (years)	Boys			Girls			Total		
	1969	1970	1971	1969	1970	1971	1969	1970	1971
SCHOOLS (EXCLUDING SCHOOLS FOR ABORIGINAL CHILDREN)(a)									
Under 6	567	559	615	506	503	619	1,073	1,062	1,234
6	557	686	681	534	602	610	1,091	1,288	1,291
7	574	641	668	529	619	626	1,103	1,260	1,294
8	552	570	629	537	536	580	1,089	1,106	1,209
9	479	578	640	445	583	625	924	1,161	1,265
10	445	506	606	432	522	592	877	1,028	1,198
11	435	490	556	424	440	506	859	930	1,062
12	385	450	486	345	431	443	730	881	929
13	332	365	452	329	346	408	661	711	860
14	289	343	384	298	337	342	587	680	726
15	221	253	288	217	240	266	438	493	554
16	142	142	186	119	161	160	261	303	346
17 and over	82	109	94	42	66	94	124	175	188
TOTAL	5,060	5,692	6,285	4,757	5,386	5,871	9,817	11,078	12,156
SCHOOLS FOR ABORIGINAL CHILDREN(b)									
Under 6	501	505	666	531	513	659	1,032	1,018	1,325
6	227	276	309	275	267	295	502	543	604
7	243	255	281	240	285	267	483	540	548
8	247	257	269	233	243	294	480	500	563
9	263	246	245	217	231	231	480	477	476
10	222	240	257	181	231	230	403	471	487
11	169	238	218	214	202	204	383	440	422
12	215	183	209	213	227	201	428	410	410
13	192	186	188	186	194	202	378	380	390
14	157	157	169	152	155	166	309	312	335
15	110	124	114	102	93	136	212	217	250
16	46	70	70	31	50	50	77	120	120
17 and over .. ..	..	7	2	..	5	1	..	12	3
TOTAL	2,592	2,744	2,997	2,575	2,696	2,936	5,167	5,440	5,933
ALL SCHOOLS									
Under 6	1,068	1,064	1,281	1,037	1,016	1,278	2,105	2,080	2,559
6	784	962	990	809	869	905	1,593	1,831	1,895
7	817	896	949	769	904	893	1,586	1,800	1,842
8	799	827	898	770	779	874	1,569	1,606	1,772
9	742	824	885	662	814	856	1,404	1,638	1,741
10	667	746	863	613	753	822	1,280	1,499	1,685
11	604	728	774	638	642	710	1,242	1,370	1,484
12	600	633	695	558	658	644	1,158	1,291	1,339
13	524	551	640	515	540	610	1,039	1,091	1,250
14	446	500	553	450	492	508	896	992	1,061
15	331	377	402	319	333	402	650	710	804
16	188	212	256	150	211	210	338	423	466
17 and over	82	116	96	42	71	95	124	187	191
TOTAL	7,652	8,436	9,282	7,332	8,082	8,807	14,984	16,518	18,089

(a) At the annual School Census in August. (b) At 30 June. See also Tables 108 and 109. Schools specifically set up for the education of Aboriginal children requiring other than ordinary schooling.

**TABLE 168.—SCHOOLS FOR ABORIGINAL CHILDREN^(a)
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1967 TO 1971**

				30 June—				
				1967	1968	1969	1970	1971
SCHOOLS								
Government schools—								
At settlements	..	..	..	15	17	18	18	17
On pastoral properties	..	..	..	13	19	23	22	21
On missions	..	..	..	6	5	6	7	8
Other	..	..	..		2	2	1	3
Total government schools	..			34	43	49	48	49
Subsidised schools—								
Mission	..	..	..	10	10	8	8	9
On pastoral properties	..	..	..	4	3	1	1	..
Total subsidised schools	..			14	13	9	9	9
ALL SCHOOLS	..	..	..	48	56	58	57	58
TEACHERS								
At government schools—								
At settlements	..	..	..	73	100	110	147	128
On pastoral properties	..	..	..	13	19	24	30	24
On missions	..	..	..	19	31	39	57	55
Other	..	..	..		10	9	8	21
Total government schools	..			105	160	182	242	228
At subsidised schools—								
Mission	..	..	..	41	43	42	54	57
On pastoral properties	..	..	..	4	3	1	1	..
Total subsidised schools	..			45	46	43	55	57
ALL SCHOOLS	..	..	..	150	206	225	297	285
PUPILS								
At government schools—								
At settlements	..	..	..	1,653	1,633	2,198	2,274	2,445
On pastoral properties	..	..	..	293	381	465	502	574
On missions	..	..	..	509	547	965	1,131	1,264
Other	..	..	..		98	104	115	165
Total government schools	..			2,455	2,659	3,732	4,022	4,448
At subsidised schools—								
Mission	..	..	..	1,337	1,496	1,412	1,396	1,485
On pastoral properties	..	..	..	66	58	23	22	..
Total subsidised schools	..			1,403	1,554	1,435	1,418	1,485
ALL SCHOOLS	..	..	..	3,858	4,213	5,167	5,440	5,933

(a) These are schools specifically set up for the education of Aboriginal children requiring other than ordinary schooling.

**TABLE 109.—SCHOOLS FOR ABORIGINAL CHILDREN(a): PUPILS, BY AGE
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1971**

Age last birthday (years)	Government schools at settlements		Government schools on pastoral properties		Other govern- ment schools and govern- ment schools on missions		Subsidised mission schools		Total	
	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls
Under 6 ..	332	314	31	46	154	140	149	159	666	659
6 ..	136	130	45	26	56	69	72	70	309	295
7 ..	115	118	35	25	61	55	70	69	281	267
8 ..	105	112	36	33	52	77	76	72	269	294
9 ..	110	97	51	28	58	48	46	58	245	231
10 ..	100	96	32	23	61	52	64	59	257	230
11 ..	73	77	35	27	48	52	62	48	218	204
12 ..	88	92	18	18	51	40	52	51	209	201
13 ..	70	70	18	22	59	57	41	53	188	202
14 ..	52	46	10	13	62	52	45	55	169	166
15 ..	37	32	6	10	38	44	33	50	114	136
16 ..	24	19	1	4	29	13	17	14	70	50
17 and over ..	..	..	1	1	1	..	..	..	2	1
TOTAL	1,242	1,203	298	276	730	699	727	758	2,997	2,936

(a) Schools specifically set up for the education of Aboriginal children requiring other than ordinary schooling.

**TABLE 110.—ADULT EDUCATION CENTRES: NORTHERN TERRITORY
1967 TO 1971**

	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971
Number of centres(a)	2	2	2	2	2
Number of classes held(b)	218	230	271	309	335
Enrolments(c)—					
Number of Apprentices—					
Males	102	156	207	241	183
Females	12	18	19	28	17
Diploma and certificate subject enrolments—					
Males	182	95	102	77	139
Females	42	30	34	29	48
Adult education subject enrolments—					
Males	1,357	1,739	1,964	2,288	3,551
Females	1,770	2,071	3,050	3,171	5,167
Number of individual students—					
Males	993	1,277	1,663	1,951	2,803
Females	1,314	1,456	2,251	2,332	4,332
Teachers—					
Full-time	6	6	9	17	22
Part-time	153	137	155	168	256

(a) There is a centre at Darwin and one at Alice Springs. (b) Courses of less than one term's duration are generally excluded. (c) Students enrolled for apprenticeship, certificate and diploma courses in the Northern Territory take correspondence courses in the States. However, many attend the adult education centres for additional class instruction. Figures for apprentices are the number of students pursuing courses in any year. Diploma, certificate and adult education figures are the sum totals of enrolments in each subject.

**TABLE 111.—PRE-SCHOOL CENTRES(a): NORTHERN TERRITORY
1968 TO 1971**

Centre	1968		1969		1970		1971	
	Teachers at 30 June (b)	Average daily attendance	Teachers at 30 June (b)	Average daily attendance	Teachers at 30 June (b)	Average daily attendance	Teachers at 30 June (b)	Average daily attendance
Darwin—								
Darwin City ..	2	40	(c)3	42	(c)3	41	(c)(d)4	40
Stuart Park ..	2	43	3	51	2	43	2	44
Parap ..	4	85	5	102	5	108	5	96
Maranga ..	2	41	2	37	2	37	2	40
Nightcliff ..	2	46	3	67	3	65	3	58
R.A.A.F. Base ..	4	79	4	51	2	40	2	42
Rapid Creek ..	4	86	5	108	5	93	5	81
Larrakeyah ..	2	24	2	22	2	24	2	23
Alawa(e) ..	..	..	..	..	..	41	3	45
Millner(e) ..	..	..	..	..	..	31	2	36
Total, Darwin ..	22	444	27	480	24	523	30	505
Alice Springs—								
Ida Standley ..	2	31	2	43	3	60	4	50
Nathalie Gorey ..	2	57	3	69	2	63	2	51
Rona Glynn ..	2	45	2	44	2	44	2	41
Gillen(f) ..	..	..	..	..	..	46	3	52
Total, Alice Springs ..	6	133	7	156	7	213	11	194
Tennant Creek(g) ..	2	41	3	51	2	45	3	45
Batchelor ..	2	16	2	15	2	12	1	11
Katherine ..	2	52	3	50	3	59	4	57
Elliot(h) ..	..	..	..	..	1	8	1	8
Nhulunbuy(i) ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	36
TOTAL ..	34	686	42	752	39	860	52	856

(a) In addition, at 30 June 1971 there were 920 Aboriginal children and 65 other children at pre-school centres established on Welfare Division settlements, mission stations and pastoral properties in conjunction with schools for Aboriginal children. (b) Includes untrained assistants. (c) Includes one relief teacher for the Darwin area. (d) Includes one teacher of deaf children for the Darwin area. (e) Commenced September 1970. (f) Commenced October 1970. (g) There is also a company-run pre-school centre at Peko Mine with one teacher and daily attendance of about 15. (h) Commenced May 1970. (i) Commenced June 1971.

**TABLE 112.—COMMONWEALTH GOVERNMENT EXPENDITURE ON
EDUCATION: NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1966-67 TO 1970-71**
(£'000)

	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71
Current expenditure—					
Government Schools—					
Pre-school education and training ..	39	137	143	204	261
Payments to South Australian Education Department; and Teacher moving expenses			2,072	2,680	3,462
Commonwealth Teaching Service ..			..	..	150
School transport			185	203	335
Cleaning of schools	1,602	2,048	130	157	193
Fuel, light, power and water			65	73	118
School supplies and subsidies			69	104	129
Incidental and other expenditure			138	100	148
Repairs and maintenance		37	90	100	146
Non-government Schools—					
Assistance—Interest payments .. .. .	..	13	7	86	157
Student allowances .. .. .	..	10	23	..	..
Aboriginal Affairs(a)	153	1,215	1,701	1,932	2,773
Total, current	1,794	3,461	4,621	5,639	7,872
Capital Expenditure—					
Government Schools—					
New buildings and works	771	922	1,320	2,820	4,068
Furniture and fittings	63	45	85	127	124
Plant and equipment	211	23	52	32	45
Acquisitions	198	2	2	7	..
Non-government schools—					
Approved capital programmes .. .. .	..	..	7	32	145
Science laboratories	7	..	..	..	..
Aboriginal Affairs(a)	32	1,094	282	2,847	573
Total, capital	1,281	2,086	1,748	5,864	4,955
Northern Territory Scholarships(b) ..	102	120	156	174	204
TOTAL EXPENDITURE	3,177	5,667	6,525	11,677	13,031

(a) Estimated (b) Excludes Commonwealth Secondary and Technical Scholarships.

**TABLE 113.—PUBLIC LIBRARIES: NORTHERN TERRITORY
1967 TO 1971**

Centre	Number of volumes at 30 June—				
	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971
Darwin	25,234	27,430	30,305	31,451	32,605
Nightcliff	5,015	6,860	8,421	8,915	9,576
Alice Springs	16,431	17,348	18,276	18,588	17,606
Tennant Creek	4,892	5,438	5,804	5,956	6,398
Katherine	4,220	4,674	5,097	5,257	5,764
Total	55,792	61,750	67,903	70,167	71,949

**TABLE 114.—COMMONWEALTH AGE AND INVALID PENSIONS
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1966-67 TO 1970-71**

	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71
Number of pensioners at 30 June—					
Age	1,348	1,327	1,378	1,429	1,577
Invalid	454	466	487	546	560
Total	1,802	1,793	1,865	1,975	2,137
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Average weekly pension at 30 June(a)—					
Age	12.80	12.84	14.11	15.23	16.21
Invalid	13.48	13.64	15.71	17.30	18.49
Amount paid during year	1,238,864	1,335,712	1,459,021	1,626,769	1,888,006

(a) Including supplementary assistance.

**TABLE 115.—UNEMPLOYMENT, SICKNESS AND SPECIAL BENEFITS
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1966-67 TO 1970-71**

	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71
Admissions to benefit during year—					
Unemployment—					
Males	258	219	134	270	269
Females	80	70	61	85	76
Persons	338	289	195	355	345
Sickness—					
Males	162	233	162	309	346
Females	51	54	27	53	77
Persons	213	287	189	362	423
Special—					
Males	7	23	6	4	4
Females .. .. .	..	5	25	73	63
Persons	7	28	31	77	67
Number on benefit at 30 June—					
Unemployment—					
Males .. .. .	..	16	2	3	1
Females	1	4	1	2	1
Persons	1	20	3	5	2
Sickness—					
Males	14	16	15	33	41
Females	5	9	5	2	8
Persons	19	25	20	35	49
Special—					
Males	3	9	1	1	2
Females .. .. .	..	6	5	12	16
Persons	3	15	6	13	18
Benefits paid—					
Unemployment	\$ 13,734	19,434	18,950	20,871	28,744
Sickness	\$ 20,284	21,778	23,590	33,891	47,449
Special	\$ 673	1,150	4,305	9,943	12,982
Total	\$ 34,691	42,362	46,845	64,705	89,175

**TABLE 116.—COMMONWEALTH MATERNITY ALLOWANCES: NORTHERN
TERRITORY, 1966-67 TO 1970-71**

	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71
Number of claims paid	1,955	1,985	2,178	8	2,668
Amount paid \$	62,310	63,773	76,779	30	84,549

TABLE 117.—COMMONWEALTH CHILD ENDOWMENT: NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1966-67 TO 1970-71

		1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71
Endowed families(a)—						
With children under 16 years ..	No.	7,597	8,236	10,177	11,932	13,034
With student children, 16 to 21 years ..	"	287	340	331	460	552
Endowed children in family groups(a)—						
Under 16 years ..	"	17,484	18,958	23,837	28,517	31,103
Student children, 16 to 21 years ..	"	311	367	347	503	614
Institutions(a)—						
Approved institutions ..	"	38	35	21	10	11
Endowed children under 16 years ..	"	5,821	5,669	3,458	235	252
Endowed student children ..	"	17	21	18	"	2
Total endowed children and students ..	"	23,633	25,015	27,660	29,255	31,971
Amount paid during year(b) ..	\$'000	1,225	1,209	1,430	1,502	1,485

(a) During 1968-69, 1969-70 and 1970-71 a policy of making endowment payments direct to Aboriginal families was pursued. This is reflected in the decrease in the number of endowed children in institutions and the increase in the number of endowed children in families. (b) Includes expenditure for student children of \$27,000 in 1966-67, \$29,000 in 1967-68, \$34,000 in 1968-69, \$36,000 in 1969-70 and \$45,000 in 1970-71.

TABLE 118.—COMMONWEALTH WIDOWS' PENSIONS: NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1966-67 TO 1970-71

	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71
Number of pensioners at 30 June ..	221	239	307	355	395
Average weekly pension at 30 June(a) ..	\$ 16.52	\$ 16.46	\$ 19.01	\$ 21.80	\$ 22.82
Amount paid during year ..	190,585	217,212	280,140	372,310	437,470

(a) Including supplementary assistance.

**TABLE 119.—POLICE STRENGTH: NORTHERN TERRITORY
1967 TO 1971**

Ranks	General duties	Criminal investigation, plain clothes police and scientific sections	Traffic police	Other special duties	Total
30 June 1971—					
Executive officers (including super-intendents)	3	..	..	..	3
Inspectors	2	1	..	1	4
Sergeants	26	11	3	6	46
Constables	132	(a)35	14	25	(a)206
Total, 1971	163	(a)47	17	32	(a)(b)259
1970	136	53	16	30	235
1969	105	45	11	34	195
1968	88	26	9	31	154
1967	94	30	9	18	151

(a) Includes 6 policewomen. (b) In addition, in 1971 there were 34 full-time trackers and 27 full-time civilian staff, comprising 21 clerks and 6 typists.

**TABLE 120.—PRISONS: NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1967 TO 1971
(Number)**

	30 June—				
	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971
Prisons	2	2	2	2	2
Convicted prisoners in gaol	112	120	177	198	166
Unconvicted prisoners in gaol	4	15	3	14	19

**TABLE 121.—MAGISTRATES' AND JUDGES' COURTS: CASES TRIED AND CONVICTIONS, BY CLASS OF OFFENCE
NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1966 TO 1970**

	1966(a)	1967	1968	1969(b)	1970
CASES DEALT WITH AT LOWER COURTS(c)					
Cases tried—					
Against the person	298	305	345	425	562
Against property	468	745	797	917	1,137
Forgery and offences against the currency	81	44	145	288	233
Against good order	4,939	6,298	5,720	7,061	7,629
Other	2,175	2,835	3,402	4,462	5,134
Total cases tried	7,961	10,227	10,409	13,153	14,695
Convictions—					
Against the person	217	224	277	350	442
Against property	360	582	593	720	921
Forgery and offences against the currency	70	12	71	237	154
Against good order	4,874	6,194	5,560	6,897	7,355
Other	1,881	2,425	2,915	3,883	4,656
Total convictions	7,402	9,437	9,416	12,087	13,528
Committals to higher court—					
Against the person	43	44	22	28	41
Against property	57	93	118	109	57
Forgery and offences against the currency	4	29	37	36	31
Against good order	1	..	5	16	15
Other	22	10	14	43	7
Total committals	127	176	196	232	151

PERSONS CONVICTED AT SUPERIOR (JUDGES') COURTS

Against the person	18	23	15	r33	35
Against property	39	37	62	r70	42
Forgery and offences against the currency	1	4	6	8	5
Against good order .. .. .	..	1	5	5	5
Other .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..
Total persons convicted	58	65	88	r116	87

(a) Statistics for lower courts relate only to Darwin and Alice Springs. (b) Excludes Tennant Creek.
(c) Excludes details of Darwin Children's Court prior to 1970.

TABLE 122.—DIVORCE: NORTHERN TERRITORY, 1966-67 TO 1970-71

	1966-67	1967-68	1968-69	1969-70	1970-71
Petitions for dissolution of marriage(a)	47	54	60	59	95
Dissolutions granted(a)—					
Husband petitioner	23	12	18	26	28
Wife petitioner	22	8	21	20	9
Grounds on which granted—					
Desertion	20	8	10	15	13
Adultery	10	5	9	14	12
Separation	8	2	14	12	6
Cruelty	1	1	..	2	3
Other(b)	6	4	6	3	3
Total dissolutions granted ..	45	20	39	46	37

(a) With the exception of one petition for nullity during 1968-69 and one during 1970-71, there were no petitions or decrees granted for nullity of marriage or judicial separation in any of the above years. (b) Includes multiple grounds, e.g., desertion and cruelty.

**TABLE 123.—SELECTED STATISTICS, NORTHERN TERRITORY
COMPARED WITH AUSTRALIA**

Item	Unit	Date or period	Northern Territory	Australia
Area	sq. miles	..	520,280	2,967,909
Population	'000	June 1971	85.5p	12,728.5p
Annual ave. rate of population increase ..	per cent	1966 to 1971	8.64p	1.87p
Natural increase	persons	1970	2,016	144,468
Birth rate		1970	33.38	20.59
Death rate		1970	7.73	9.04
Infant (under 1 year) death rate		1970	48.02	17.88
Marriages		1970	501	116,066
Rural holdings	'000 acres	1970-71	184,943	1,229,739
Cattle on rural holdings	'000	1971	1,145	24,373
Net value of rural production	\$'000	1970-71	20,500	2,592,171
Iron ore production	'000 tons	1970-71	1,235	56,024
Manganese production	tons	1970-71	679,227	821,421
Gold production	fl.oz	1970-71	128,258	611,121
Value of mineral production	\$'000	1969-70	32,373	1,297,610
Value of new buildings completed	\$'000	1970-71	34,006	2,691,039
Dwellings completed	No.	1970-71	1,222	141,403
Retail establishments(a)	No.	1968-69	581	164,078
Value of retail sales	\$m	1968-69	58.7	11,620.5
Overseas Trade—				
Exports	\$'000	1970-71	36,459	4,374,681
Imports	\$'000	1970-71	23,670	4,150,073
Motor vehicles on register	No.	30 June 1971	29,115	5,006,446
Road Traffic accidents—				
Persons killed per 100,000 of mean population		1970	53	30

(a) Includes selected service establishments.

APPENDIX

SURVEY OF WEEKLY EARNINGS (SIZE DISTRIBUTION), MAY 1971

1. A survey of weekly earnings was conducted for the pay-period which included 12 May 1971. The survey was conducted by means of stratified random samples of (i) private employers subject to pay-roll tax (that is those, other than exempt employers, paying more than \$400 a week in wages and salaries), (ii) public hospitals, and (iii) local government authorities; and in addition a complete coverage of (iv) Commonwealth and State government departments, government authorities and semi-government bodies. In the published results 'private employees' refer to those covered by categories (i) and (ii) and 'government employees' refer to those covered by categories (iii) and (iv).

2. This survey obtained estimates of the numbers and proportions of full-time adult male employees (paid for a full week) in various total weekly earning groups, average weekly total earnings for these employees, and a dissection of average weekly total earnings into average weekly overtime earnings and average weekly ordinary time earnings. Separate details were obtained for (a) male managerial, executive, professional and higher supervisory staff, and (b) other full-time adult male employees. The latter category includes full-time adult male minor supervisory employees, leading hands, clerical and office staff, and ordinary wages employees. Full-time adult males were defined as those whose normal hours of work are 30 or more and who were paid for their full normal hours of work for the specified pay-period.

3. In the case of private employers the allocation of employees between 'managerial, etc. staff' and 'other than managerial, etc. staff' depended upon the judgment of individual employers completing the survey returns. In the case of government employers, 'managerial, etc. staff' were generally defined as—(i) those employees who do not receive payment for overtime, and (ii) those employees, who, although subject to payment for overtime, were in charge of a significant number of employees in a separate establishment (or establishments). Thus the concept of full-time adult male managerial, etc. staff and other employees may differ between the private and government sectors of the survey and this may affect the relative level of the estimates for these categories of employees in the two sectors.

4. The classification of weekly earnings groups specified in the survey for managerial, etc. staff differed from that specified for non-managerial employees. In the table on page 101, which shows a combination of the two earnings classifications, managerial etc staff earning 'up to \$79.99' have been included in the group, '\$75.00 to \$79.99'. Thus the figures for all earnings groups below \$80.00 in this table are subject to some distortion.

5. It is known that some private employees in the Northern Territory are included on pay-roll tax returns for some of the States. Thus these employees would not have been included in the survey estimates of private employees in the territory. Therefore, the survey estimates shown for private employees, and for combinations of private and government employees, in the Northern Territory differ from the estimates that would have been obtained if all relevant employees in the territory had been recorded separately.

6. For more detailed explanatory notes and definitions of terms used in this survey and the following tables reference should be made to bulletin *Survey of Weekly Earnings (Size Distribution), May 1971* (Reference No. 6.30).

**NUMBER OF FULL-TIME ADULT MALES(a) IN TOTAL WEEKLY
EARNINGS GROUPS, MAY 1971(b) ALL INDUSTRY GROUPS(c),
NORTHERN TERRITORY**

Total weekly earnings groups	Private employees(d) ('000)	Government employees(d) ('000)	Total (private and Government) ('000)	Percentage of total (private and Government)
NUMBER OF FULL-TIME ADULT MALE EMPLOYEES (OTHER THAN MANAGERIAL, ETC., STAFF) IN TOTAL WEEKLY EARNINGS GROUPS				
\$				%
Up to 43.99				
44.00 to 44.99				
45.00 to 45.99	*	*	*	0.3
46.00 to 46.99				
47.00 to 47.99				
48.00 to 48.99				
49.00 to 49.99			0.1	0.4
50.00 to 51.99	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
52.00 to 53.99			0.1	
54.00 to 55.99	0.1	0.1	0.2	1.4
56.00 to 57.99	0.1	0.1	0.1	1.2
58.00 to 59.99		0.1	0.2	1.5
60.00 to 64.99	0.2	0.3	0.4	3.8
65.00 to 69.99	0.2	0.3	0.5	4.7
70.00 to 74.99	0.3	0.3	0.6	5.2
75.00 to 79.99	0.3	0.4	0.7	6.1
80.00 to 84.99	0.3	0.4	0.7	6.1
85.00 to 89.99	0.3	0.4	0.7	5.8
90.00 to 99.99	0.5	0.7	1.2	10.8
100.00 to 119.99	1.1	1.2	2.3	19.9
120.00 and over	1.9	1.8	3.6	31.9
Total	5.4	6.0	11.4	100.0

**NUMBER OF FULL-TIME ADULT MALE MANAGERIAL, ETC., STAFF
IN TOTAL WEEKLY EARNINGS GROUPS**

\$				%
Up to 79.99				
80.00 to 99.99	0.1	*	0.1	7.8
100.00 to 119.99	0.2	0.1	0.2	16.4
120.00 to 139.99	0.3	0.1	0.3	22.6
140.00 to 159.99	0.2	0.1	0.2	15.3
160.00 to 179.99	0.1	0.1	0.2	12.1
180.00 to 199.99				7.8
200.00 to 219.99				9.5
220.00 to 239.99				
240.00 to 259.99	0.1	0.1	0.1	8.6
260.00 to 279.99				
280.00 to 299.99				
300.00 and over				
Total	0.9	0.5	1.4	100.0

For footnotes see page 102.

* Less than 50 employees.

NOTE. See text on page 99.

**NUMBER OF FULL-TIME ADULT MALES(a) IN TOTAL WEEKLY
EARNINGS GROUPS, MAY 1971(b), ALL INDUSTRY GROUPS(c),
NORTHERN TERRITORY—continued**

Total weekly earnings groups			Private employees(d) ('000)	Government employees(d) ('000)	Total (private and government) ('000)	Percentage of total (private and government)
NUMBER OF MANAGERIAL, ETC., STAFF AND ALL OTHER FULL TIME ADULT MALES TOTAL WEEKLY EARNINGS GROUPS						
\$						
Up to 43.99	..	..		
44.00 to 44.99	..	..		
45.00 to 45.99	..	..		
46.00 to 46.99	..	..		
47.00 to 47.99	..	..		
48.00 to 48.99	..	..		
49.00 to 49.99	..	..		
50.00 to 51.99	..	..	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.4
52.00 to 53.99	..	..			0.1	
54.00 to 55.99	..	..	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.5
56.00 to 57.99	..	..	0.1	0.1	0.1	1.2
58.00 to 59.99	..	..		0.1	0.2	1.0
60.00 to 64.99	..	..	0.2*	0.3	0.4	1.3
65.00 to 69.99	..	..	0.2	0.3	0.5	3.3
70.00 to 74.99	..	..	0.3	0.3	0.6	4.2
75.00 to 79.99 (f)	..	..	0.3	0.4	0.7	4.6
80.00 to 99.99	..	..	1.2	1.5	2.7	5.5
100.00 to 119.99	..	..	1.3	1.2	2.5	20.9
120.00 and over	..	..	2.5	2.2	4.7	19.5
Total	..	..	6.3	6.5	12.8	36.8

For footnotes see page 102.

* Less than 50 employees.

**AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS, FULL-TIME ADULT MALES(a),
MAY 1971(b), INDUSTRY GROUPS, NORTHERN TERRITORY
(\$)**

	Private employees (d)		Government employees (d)		Total (private and government)	
	Non-manu- facturing groups (g)	All industry groups (c)	Non-manu- facturing groups (g)	All industry groups (c)	Non-manu- facturing groups (g)	All industry groups (c)
Managerial, etc., staff (e) . .	140.50	139.40	180.10	179.90	155.20	153.00
All other full-time adult males—						
Overtime earnings(h) . .	24.30	24.90	11.60	12.10	17.30	18.20
Ordinary time earnings . .	91.20	89.20	93.60	93.20	92.50	91.30
Total	115.50	114.10	105.30	105.30	109.90	109.50
Total full-time adult males	119.10	117.90	110.90	110.80	114.70	114.30

(a) Full-time adult male employees whose normal weekly hours of work are 30 or more and who were paid for their full normal hours of work. (b) Pay-period which included 12 May 1971. (c) Excludes rural industry and private domestic service. (d) Private employees are employees of private employers subject to payroll tax and of all public hospitals. Government employees are employees of Commonwealth and State government departments, government authorities and semi-government bodies, and of local government authorities. (e) Managerial, executive, professional and higher supervisory staff. (f) Includes managerial, etc., staff earning "up to \$79.99". (g) Details for manufacturing groups are not available. (h) Average of all employees represented in the survey whether or not they worked overtime.

NOTE. See text on page 99.

**URBAN CENTRES AND BOUNDED LOCALITIES
WITH 200 OR MORE PERSONS:
NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUSES 1966 AND 1971**

Urban centre or bounded locality	Popu- lation, 1966 Census	Census, 30 June 1971			Population increase	
		Males	Females	Persons	Number	Per cent
NORTHERN TERRITORY						
Alice Springs (U)	6,390	5,745	5,373	11,118	4,728	73.99
Alyangula (R)	n.a.	301	152	453	n.a.	n.a.
Darwin (U)	21,205	19,096	16,185	35,281	14,076	66.38
Gove-Nhulunbuy (U)	n.a.	3,857	521	4,378	4,378	n.a.
Katherine (U)	1,506	1,419	1,101	2,520	1,014	67.33
Pine Creek	n.a.	118	97	215	n.a.	n.a.
Tennant Creek (U)	1,065	965	824	1,789	724	67.98

POPULATION IN LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREAS: NORTHERN TERRITORY, CENSUSES 1966 AND 1971

For 1971 Census purposes, the use of Police Districts as tabulation areas has been abandoned. The only local government area in the Northern Territory is the City of Darwin. For census purposes two areas have been treated as 'local government areas': Proposed Greater Darwin and the balance of the Territory.

Local Government areas	Population, 1966 Census	Population—1971			Population increase	
		Males	Females	Persons	Number	Per cent
Proposed Greater Darwin—						
City of Darwin (U)—Part	18,675	16,983	14,508	31,491	12,816	68.63
City of Darwin (R)	20	123	73	196	176	880.00
Darwin (U)—Part	2,530	2,113	1,677	3,790	1,260	49.80
Balance of proposed Greater Darwin (R)	446	732	619	1,351	905	202.91
Total proposed Greater Darwin	21,671	19,951	16,877	36,828	5,157	69.94
Northern Territory, Balance—						
Alice Springs (U)	6,390	5,745	5,373	11,118	4,728	73.99
Alyangula	n.a.	301	152	453	n.a.	n.a.
Grove-Nhulunbuy (U)	n.a.	3,857	521	4,378	4,378	n.a.
Katherine (U)	1,506	1,419	1,101	2,520	1,014	67.33
Pine Creek (U)	n.a.	118	97	215	n.a.	n.a.
Tennant Creek (U)	1,065	965	824	1,789	724	67.98
Balance (R)	n.a.	15,491	12,404	27,895	n.a.	n.a.
Total Northern Territory Balance	34,538	27,896	20,472	48,368	13,830	40.04
Migratory	295	312	11	323	28	9.49
TOTAL NORTHERN TERRITORY	56,504	48,159	37,360	85,519	29,015	51.36
Sections of State—						
Urban	30,166	31,082	24,004	55,086	24,920	82.61
Rural	26,043	16,765	13,345	30,110	4,067	15.62
Migratory	295	312	11	323	28	9.49
TOTAL NORTHERN TERRITORY	56,504	48,159	37,360	85,519	29,015	51.35
...als not elsewhere listed—						
City of Darwin	18,695	17,106	14,581	31,687	12,992	69.49
Darwin (U)	21,205	19,096	16,185	35,281	14,076	66.38

Abbreviations used: U—Urban, R—Rural

NOTE: At the 1966 Census, in conformity with Section 127 of the Constitution, Aborigines were excluded from the published population. In 1967 the Constitution was altered to remove this provision, and the 1971 Census therefore includes Aborigines. In order to provide comparability between the two censuses the 1966 populations in this statement have been amended to include Aborigines and therefore differ from the 1966 populations previously published.

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